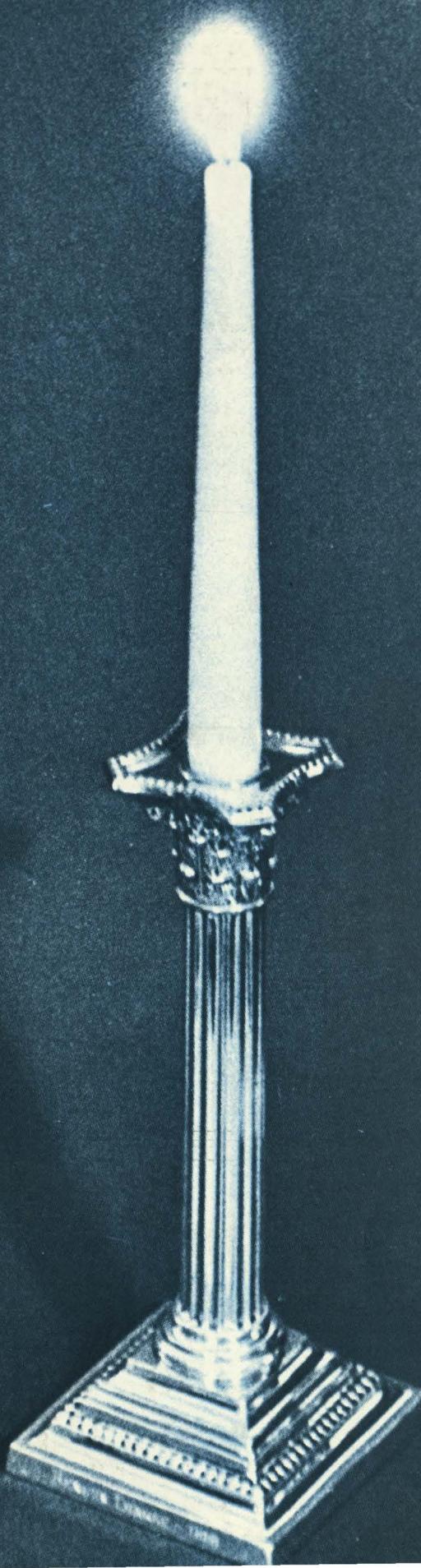


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## To Jennie, with Love

The silver candlestick pictured on our cover was presented to the alumnae association in 1970 by Jane Mulkey Green, '42, of Atlanta, at the end of her three-year term as president. Its function is to touch off the ceremony on annual Alumnae Day when seniors are inducted into the association, each being handed a lighted candle by an alumna and repeating the Benson Charge.

This year, on lighting this first candle, on the stage, President Jackie Davis Richardson stated that the flame burned in honor and in memory of Jennie Loyall Manget, first full-time Alumnae Secretary (Director), whose death had occurred the week before.

"Do you members of the class of 1976 accept the responsibilities of alumnae of Wesleyan, pledging yourselves to keep always burning the love which was kindled here during your student days?" she asked, repeating the words of Catherine Brewer Benson, when alumnae organized in 1859.

Taking their candles the young women pledged in unison "to contribute to the strength and prosperity of our Alma Mater."

Jennie Loyall Manget fulfilled all of the responsibilities of alumnaehood. In addition, she shed her light farther than any candle, illuminating the path of those about her, fortifying them with her encouragement and appreciation.

To your Editor she was friend, mentor, and inspiration. And so, it is with gratitude and love that we dedicate this issue of Wesleyan College NOW to Jennie Loyall Manget, who founded the alumnae magazine and was its first Editor.

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# JENNIE LOYALL MANGET

She was so gentle and charming, so lady-like in manner that one might not suspect she had a keen intelligence and a driving force that could move mountains.

A small bronze plaque was recently installed at the entrance of the Candler Alumnae Center on the campus of Wesleyan College. It states that Jennie Loyall Manget, '12, was Alumnae Secretary, or first full-time Director, from 1924 to 1947, that she established the alumnae magazine, and "is beloved by the alumnae."

The College Alma Mater, which was played at her funeral on April 8, closes with the lines, "Upholding thine ideals thy daughters shall be true, faithful, and loyal, dear Wesleyan to thee." Hundreds of alumnae who knew her as "Miss Jennie Loyall" have insisted for years that the word "loyal" refers to her, adding that "true" and "faithful" also fit.

What she accomplished for Wesleyan cannot be exaggerated. She propelled Wesleyan and its alumnae activities into national prominence, she contributed wit and brain-power to the deliberations of the Board of Trustees on which she served for many years. Because of her friendship a number of people were influenced to become benefactors of the College, some in such a major way that the institution might not have survived except for their financial assistance.

Generous without measure she and her family have always been ready not only to meet but to anticipate the needs of their beloved Wesleyan.

Her delightful letters of encouragement and appreciation have been treasured by many, who have been spurred to greater accomplishment by her "pat on the back". Giving of herself, to her family and friends, to her church and her community have been the pattern of her life. And, it goes without saying, as long as there is a Wesleyan, "Miss Jennie" will be remembered.

Her husband, Dr. Fred P. Manget, survives, also Florence Sitton Gautier and Katherine Sitton Pettit, '45, and several namesakes. A memorial service is planned for the Fall.



## JENNIE REMEMBERS WESLEYAN

"A legend in her own time, both timeless and ageless, without beginning and without ending," her old friend, the late Baxter Jones, labelled Jennie Loyall Manget at the dedication of the Jennie Loyall Manget Dining room on Oct. 29, 1964. The richly furnished room was funded in her honor by her husband, Dr. Fred Manget, and several others.

"Her identification with the welfare of the college is so complete that her name is a symbol of alumnae loyalty", Mr. Jones quoted from the tribute prepared for the printed program by Dr. S. L. Akers. Since she entered Wesleyan in 1908, on an honorary scholarship, he said, she had belonged to Wesleyan, had become, probably, our best known, best loved alumna. She had established the alumnae Office, also the magazine.

He spoke of her two marriages, first, on her retirement as Alumnae Secretary in 1947, to William D. Anderson, then chairman of the Board of Trustees, remembered "for his close ties with and magnificent service to Wesleyan", and in 1959 to Dr. Fred Manget, "truly one of the great and saintly men of this century," former medical missionary to China. The lovely floral centerpiece at the dedication luncheon was a tribute from her dear friend, the late Mrs. William N. Banks, of Newnan, Ga.

In the wake of numerous other gifts to the College she began, in 1964, a major gift program to strengthen the Department of Religion, with emphasis on missions. Others have helped to swell this fund which, among other uses, makes possible the teaching services of Dr. Jacob Quiambao, of the Phillipines. It is designated the Fred P. Manget Missionary Fund.

In her Last Will and Testament, this devoted daughter has provided that the bulk of her estate will go to Wesleyan, following the death of certain lifetime beneficiaries.

When the Will was read at the Trustees' meeting May 6 someone there made the observation that her bequest was a splendid model. It is, he said, broad in its concerns, dealing with four important needs; it is flexible concerning the use of funds in the event of changing conditions; and it reflects great generosity, based on her lifetime of commitment to Wesleyan.

Item X, quoted here, sets forth the bequest to Wesleyan and how the funds shall be used:

All amounts received by Wesleyan College in accordance with the provisions of Item VIII above shall be divided (either initially or as received) into four parts of equal value, such division to be made by Wesleyan College.

(a) The first one-fourth part thereof shall be held and used by the College as a memorial fund to be known as the "GEORGE LOYALL MEMORIAL FUND", and the income from this Fund shall be used by the College to provide gift scholarships or scholarship assistance to outstanding students entering or attending the College, the beneficiaries of this Fund to be selected in such manner and among such applicants or other outstanding students as may from time to time be determined by the authorities of the College, with the amount of the assistance to be given to any one beneficiary to be similarly determined. The recipients are to be selected according to promise and not need alone

and the funds may be used to attract an outstanding student or a promising leader. This Fund is in honor of my uncle, GEORGE R. LOYALL, with whom I lived when he was President of the Norfolk Southern Railroad in Virginia. For further biographical information, reference is made to Who's Who in America, Vol. 17, 1932-33, page 1436, where he is listed under the name "George Roberts Loyall—Railroad President." If there should come a time when gift scholarships or scholarship assistance are not needed by the College, because of the availability of other funds to meet such needs or the absence of such need for any other reason, the income from said one-fourth part may be used by the College as any other part of its endowment income.

(b) The second one-fourth part thereof shall be held and used by the College as a memorial fund to be known as the "WILLIAM D. ANDERSON MEMORIAL FUND FOR GENERAL ENDOWMENT", in memory of my late husband, Wm. D. Anderson, who served for many years as Chairman of the Board of Trustees of Wesleyan College, and whose vision and belief in Christian Education for women caused him to give untiring service to Wesleyan College, and in memory also of Wm. D. Anderson, Jr., who was the only son of Wm. D. Anderson and Linda McKinney Anderson, and who at his death at the age of 37 had proved himself to be a friend and benefactor of Wesleyan College. The income from this endowment fund shall first be used by the College for the upkeep and repairs as needed of the Anderson Memorial Dining Room and the Jennie Loyall Manget Dining Room at Rivoli, and any excess income which is not needed for that purpose may then be used as other General Endowment income. For further biographical information as to my said late husband reference is made to Who's Who in America, Vol. 29, 1956-57, page 67.

(c) The third one-fourth part thereof shall be held and used by the College as a memorial fund to be known as the "LINDA MCKINNEY ANDERSON MEMORIAL FUND", in memory of Linda McKinney Anderson, who as an alumna of Wesleyan loved her College as her family, and who gave generously to Wesleyan of her material and spiritual resources and of her time and efforts in unfailing service and devotion. The income from this Fund shall be used from time to time as the College and the Board of Managers of the Wesleyan Alumnae Association may determine will best serve the needs and interests of the College. While the needs of the College are uppermost in my mind, it is my thought and suggestion that one of its primary interests is a well-organized and functioning Alumnae Association, and that all or part of the income from this one-fourth part can be used to serve the needs and interests of both the Wesleyan Alumnae Association and of the College to cover Alumnae office expenses or salaries or upkeep of the Alumnae Museum, or similar Alumnae purposes.

(d) The fourth and remaining one-fourth part thereof shall be held and used by the College as a memorial fund to be known as the "FRED P. MANGET FUND", in honor of my husband, Fred P. Manget, who spent 40 years as a medical missionary to China and has devoted all of his life in service to his fellow man. For further information about him, reference is made to a biography authored by Mrs. Elizabeth Davenport Plant, a copy of which is in my personal books and papers. The purpose of this Fund shall be to strengthen the Department of Religion at Wesleyan College, particularly in its emphasis on the world-wide mission of Christianity. I request that securities and funds previously given by me and others to Wesleyan College to establish and supplement the Fred P. Manget Missionary Fund shall be added to the part of my estate herein bequeathed. In carrying out the purpose of strengthening the Department of Religion at the College, the Trustees may consider but shall not be limited to the suggestions and recommendations contained in the instruments executed by me during my lifetime when the aforementioned gifts were made, including the bringing of speakers to the College campus who will be an inspiration to the students by virtue of their experience in Christian missions and their personal competence and dedication. I hope that it will be possible for the College to include an endowed chair in the Department of Religion representing the purposes of this Fund and toward that end the College may accept other gifts and bequests to this Fund that are consistent with the purposes set forth herein.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary set forth above, I desire and direct that all or any of the income of the various Funds referred to above may at any time be used for General Endowment purposes if in the judgement of the Board of Trustees of Wesleyan College it is not desirable or practical to use the income for the purposes or any particular purpose set forth above.

# EVELYN WRIGHT BANKS

"At Bankshaven peacocks shimmer on the terrace, black swans stud Pearl Lake, but neither matches the beauty and elegance of the gracious mistress of the manor. Her innate courtesy and refinement, her warmth of heart and manner have won a devoted following," read the alumnae magazine in Feb., 1965.

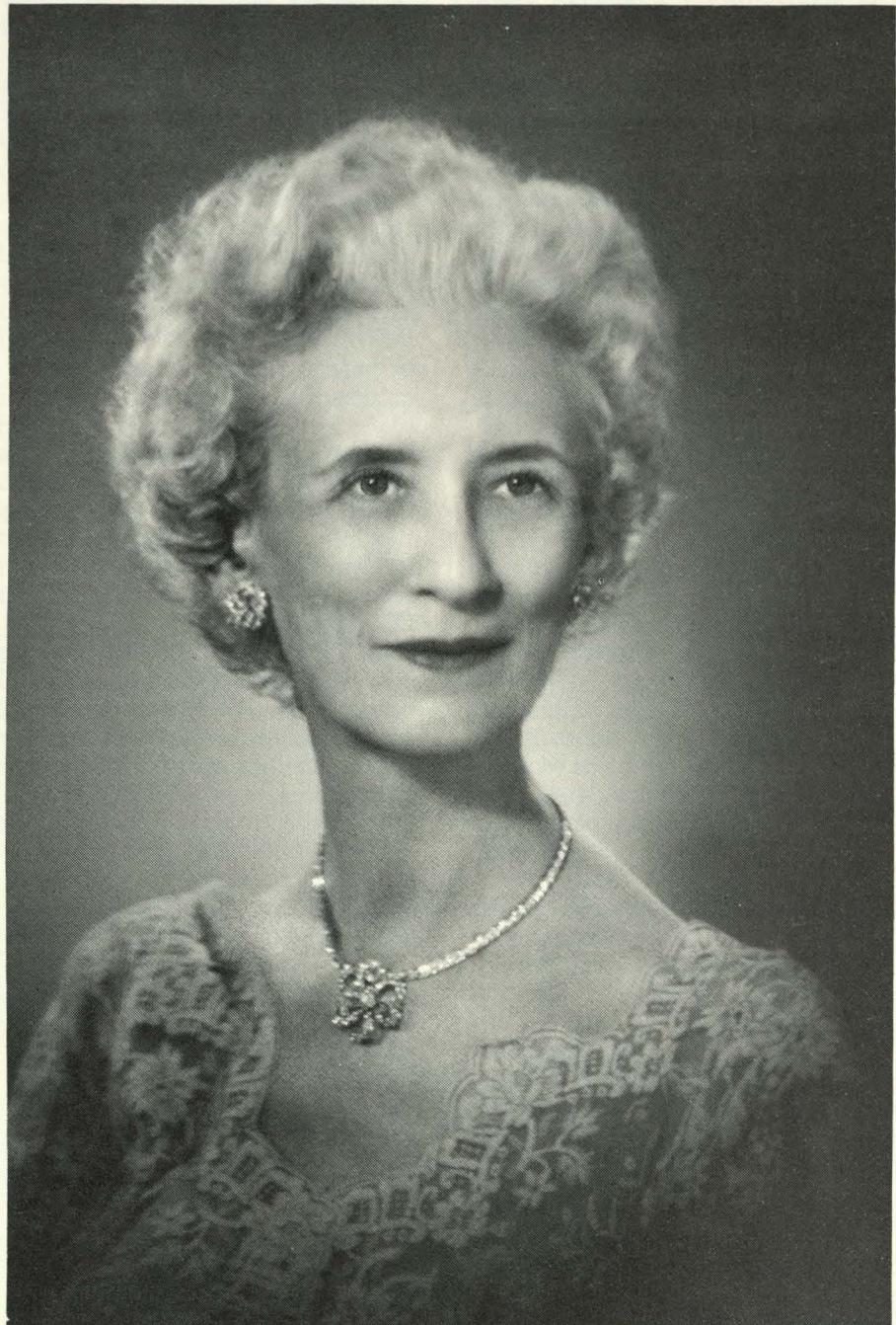
Evelyn Wright Banks, '14, daughter of a US Congressman, wife of the late William N. Banks, of Newnan and Grantville, Ga., died on March 30.

Banks Hall was named in 1950 by the Trustees of Wesleyan College to honor this distinguished and generous couple. The bronze plaque on the dormitory wall reads "In appreciation of their leadership into a Second Century of Christian Education." Both members of this dedicated pair served as Trustees.

Alumnae remember how Evelyn Banks arranged a meeting in 1961 with the director of the Rockefeller Foundation, Dean Rusk. In typically "Evelyn Banks fashion" she and her dear friend, Jennie Loyall Manget, arrived in New York on a bleak November day with trays of specimen camellias from her own gardens at Bankshaven, in the hope that he might help secure funds for the preservation of Old Wesleyan. Her works, it has been written were "wide and wonderful."

One son, William, playwright and connoisseur of art, survives, also a brother, Arnold Banks of Newman. Virginia Banks St. John, '28, is a cousin.

Students of Banks Hall plan a memorial service to this lovely lady on Oct. 27.





# RESOLUTIONS



Evelyn Wright Banks  
Jennie Loyall Manget  
Christine Colwell Broome

A Memorandum was sent to everyone on campus by President Strickland on April 13 to inform them of three significant deaths in the Wesleyan family within several weeks:

Mrs. William Banks, an honored alumna, Trustee and great benefactor of the College, as was her husband. "Wesleyan has had no greater friends over many years than these two", he wrote.

Mrs. Fred Manget, an alumna, Trustee, a great benefactor of the College, first full-time Alumnae Secretary. "Perhaps more than any other one person she symbolizes Wesleyan College over the years. She was devoted to the College and served it in every respect."

Miss Christine Broome, alumna, teacher of languages, retired 14 years. "A very fine person who had an influence for good for many years upon the students at Wesleyan College." She was one of that self-sacrificing band who stood by the Oldest and Best when times were at their worst and faculty salaries were diminished.

Alumnae join in saluting these three, in extolling the beauty and meaning of their lives. They are examples for all of us, and for generations to come.

A faculty committee composed of Ann Munck, Bernard Murdock, and Tena Roberts prepared the following Resolutions:

WHEREAS Evelyn Banks, Bachelor of Arts, Wesleyan College, in the Class of 1914, served her alma mater with generosity and distinction; and

WHEREAS Mrs. Banks, who was prominent in campus activities as a college student, continued that pattern of leadership in her home of Newnan, where she was greatly honored and beloved for her help in every movement for

the advancement of church and community; and

WHEREAS as wife of a Wesleyan trustee, William N. Banks—industrialist, churchman, philanthropist—she joined with him in countless gifts to Wesleyan, recognized symbolically in Banks Hall, the dormitory named in appreciation of their devotion and generosity; and

WHEREAS although she served in her own right as an alumnae trustee from 1957-1960, her interest in higher education extended beyond the gates of Wesleyan; the library at LaGrange College, funded by the Callaway Foundation, was named the William and Evelyn Wright Banks Library in recognition of their service to Christian education;

RESOLVED, therefore, that the Faculty of Wesleyan College recognize the contribution to higher education made through the lifelong concern and generosity of Evelyn Wright Banks, and that a copy of this resolution be included in the minutes and that copies be sent to members of her family.

WHEREAS Jennie Loyall Manget, A.B. Wesleyan College 1912, and A.M. George Washington University, returned to her alma mater in 1924 to assume the responsibilities as the first fulltime alumnae Secretary; and

WHEREAS her natural gift for organization, her rare ability to inspire others to work for an ideal, and her sound judgement in selecting ideas and methods assured a firm foundation for the Wesleyan Alumnae Association; and

WHEREAS as trustee of the College and loyal alumna, her deep and abiding love for the College was the motivating force of her life and the center of her interests; and

WHEREAS her belief in

Wesleyan's important place as an educational institution and as a source of Christian influence never wavered; and

WHEREAS her concern for her alma mater was so deeply ingrained that it continued throughout her life and will continue in its influence as long as Wesleyan lives; BE IT RESOLVED, therefore, that the Faculty of Wesleyan College recognize with genuine appreciation the devoted service of Jennie Loyall Manget, and that a copy of this resolution be included in the minutes and that copies be sent to members of her family.

WHEREAS Christine Colwell Broome, A.B. Wesleyan College 1916, M.A. Emory University, served as a devoted member of the Wesleyan faculty as a professor of Spanish and German for thirty-eight years; and

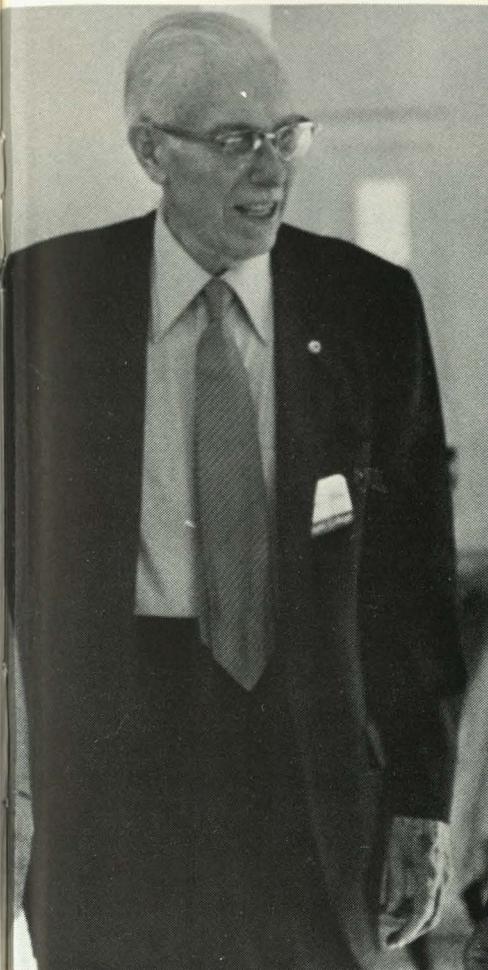
WHEREAS she was a teacher in the fullest sense of the word, teaching her students to abhor mediocre work by abhoring it herself; and

WHEREAS her influence was felt beyond Wesleyan as a contributor to the Kenyon and Knott Pronouncing Dictionary of American English, La Prensa, and the Modern Language Journal; and

WHEREAS her interests were not limited to the classroom but ranged from stamps to shells, from photography to genealogy, from the fiction of Dorothy Sayers to the poetry of Edmund Spenser; and WHEREAS she was the personification of a faithful daughter both to Wesleyan and to her family;

RESOLVED, therefore, that the Faculty of Wesleyan College record with regret the death of a valued friend and colleague and that this tribute be included in the minutes of the faculty and copies sent to the members of her family.

# A REPORT ON THE AKERS BOOK



A quiet man he had always been, leading a quiet life, especially since his retirement from Wesleyan in 1966. That was before he wrote a book.

Now his telephone rings, people ask how to order his book, "The First Hundred Years of Wesleyan College," if he will autograph copies, if he is available as a speaker, and divers other questions. He answers scores of letters. And the book isn't even out yet; it is scheduled for publication this fall, in time for Christmas giving.

The "quiet man", of course, is Dr. Sam Akers, loved by hundreds of alumnae who have known him as professor, dean, advisor, and chaplain. On Alumnae Day he was greeted with affection and pride at the luncheon in his honor and at the reception afterwards in the Hinton Lounge.

He was introduced as a special guest at the Macon Writers Club Breakfast in March; he discussed the book at the Civitan Club meeting on May 21; he has been lionized at the Martha Bowman Church, where he served as minister.

Dominating his schedule is the

checking of proofs of the manuscript, also the final selection with Mills B. Lane IV, of Beehive Press, Savannah, his publishers, of photographs to be used. The book will be beautifully designed and illustrated.

In his spare time this retired, quiet man is working on a second book, a history of Martha Bowman Church, with his wife Lib helping with research. At dinner on the grounds, on May 2, he told how the church dates back to 1822, how Bass Road, on which it is located, intersecting Forsyth, is named for Dr. W. C. Bass, long-time Wesleyan president.

Thelma Strickland, chairman of the YWCA Book Review group, has invited her husband, the president of Wesleyan, to review Dr. Akers' book on Wesleyan's first hundred years, at the opening meeting of the group in Oct.

Orders for the book may be sent to the President's Office, Wesleyan, at a special pre-publication price of \$10.00 (it will be \$15 later). An Honor Roll of these "early birds" is being assembled. You will want to get your name on the list.

The Honor Roll of those who have ordered the book, up to press time includes:

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**President Strickland and Senator Nunn.**



**Julia and Bob Munroe with Susan and Otev Walker.**



**Gerry Bosch and former students**



**Leon Moburg in class.**



**Dr. Stanton with Marjorie Pe Durden.**



Barbara Sneden Exum and Frances Van Horn make decorations.



Mrs. Don Stanton registers Arline Finch—and dress.



Needlework exhibit is admired.



Carol Golden chats with Barbara Myers.



Helen Farmer Popejoy is fashion show reader.

## IT WAS FUN

When It Could Have Been Sad

Every year Alumnae Weekend is "the best ever." It was no different in historic 1976. Encomiums and accolades have been heaped upon it by alumnae who were there. For your Editor, whose Golden Anniversary it was, there are no adequate superlatives to describe it.

How does one tell the story — the same old story — to make it new and different, fresh, at its annual repetition? We decided to take lots of pictures, for visual evidence, but there was so much that was dramatic and heartwarming, that the camera did not catch . . . Elizabeth Cannon Nunn, one-time May Queen, embracing her son Sam who slipped into the Oval Hall Friday night to see her as Queen of the Golden Girls . . . and Sen. Sam Nunn, next morning, autographing a program for Award Winner B.J. Boyes' little boy after Sam's inspiring speech on our country's Bicentennial . . . the last-minute plea of Arline Atkins Finch and her classmates to get into the Fashion Show while Reader Helen Farmer Popejoy wailed that the deadline should have been an hour earlier . . .

Did you see the tears rolling down many a cheek when all those people stood in the beautiful former library reading room to join in singing the Alma Mater? Did you feel your spine tingle when the seniors, suddenly brand-new alumnae, screamed, as they had for four years,

"What time is it? KNIGHT TIME!"

"You made it fun when it could have been sad," said Queen Elizabeth.

When it was all over . . . the parties, the pictures, and the goodbyes . . . Frances Van Horn and her alumnae staff heaved a grateful sigh that everything had gone as planned. The topiary ribbon trees laboriously fashioned for table decorations had been much admired, the food was good, the exhibits had been enjoyed — Leon Moburg's ceramics and his former Wesleyan teacher Gerry Bosch's paintings, also the needlework and quilts over which Emily Brown Rumble presided.

There was much music — the Glee Club sang for the processional, Carol (Casey) Thurman followed the Bicentennial theme with modern American spirituals.

It was a weekend to be remembered, and many who were there acquired tangible reminders. They were intrigued by the prints made from an old engraving of Wesleyan's former towers by Tom Prochaska, chairman of the art department; they bought Wesleyan stationery and Wedgwood plates; they ordered Dr. Akers' book on Wesleyan's first hundred years at the reception for him after luncheon. It was a weekend to be grateful, for Wesleyan and for those who had served her, a time to be young, thinking of the past, and brave, looking to the future.



## Distinguished Achievement

**ROSALIE VOIGT JOHNSON, AB 1956  
Magna Cum Laude MD Emory University Medical School 1960**

When Rosalie was a pre-med science major at Wesleyan she had already made a firm decision to be a doctor and a missionary. In 1957 she married the son of two Wesleyan professors, Rev. and Mrs. Emmett Johnson. Morgan Johnson, a third generation Methodist minister, had spent 3 years in Rhodesia, with the Meth. Ch. Africa-3 program, and was home to study for his doctorate, his fourth degree. In 1959 Rosalie was elected to the medical honour society, AOA, and in 1960 received her MD degree from Emory. Three weeks after graduation, their first child, Linda, was born. In January, 1961, Dr. Johnson and Dr. Johnson were commissioned as missionaries of the Meth. Ch., a "Partners in Mission" family from South Georgia. Rosalie took 2 summers in Emory Theology School during her medical studies and completed her internship at Grady Mem. Hospital and a briefing on tropical diseases at Columbia University Medical School before leaving for Africa in Sept., 1961. They arrived in Rhodesia with Linda and another baby expected in Dec. There are now five children, four born in Africa. This amazingly unselfish pair has made distinctive contributions to school and hospital work in Rhodesia, Morgan in visual aids and art education, Rosalie in the practice of medicine. When their first 5 years ended they elected to serve an additional year and then when their re-entry permit was denied by the Rhodesian Government they chose to stay on until they were deported by them 8 yrs. later. Their deportation resulted from their protest against unjust treatment of the African people by the Rhodesian government. In Rhodesia Rosalie taught nurses in training and with one other doctor cared for hundreds of patients in Nyadiri Meth. hospital and the out-station clinics. Winning over tuberculosis and harsh conditions, this zealous woman has for 13 yrs. served the needy of Africa with dedication to science and her Lord. The Johnsons are this year on study furlough in Atlanta. Rosalie is currently a resident doctor at Grady Hospital. We share the pride of Methodists and all people of good will in



honoring this splendid doctor, devoted mother, and outstanding missionary with the Alumnae Award for Distinguished Achievement.

## Distinguished Achievement

**MARY RUTH LEWIS AB Magna Cum Laude 1951; MA, U. of Ala., 1952; Master of Social Work, U. of Denver, 1961; Ph.D. Bryn Mawr College, 1973; attended London School of Economics and Political Science, London, England, 1952-53 on Rotary Club Scholarship.**

With her concentrated and solid background of training, Mary Ruth Lewis has been Chairman of Research Curriculum, National Catholic School of Social Service, Catholic U. of America, Washington, D.C. since 1973. A child welfare Training Specialist, she was consultant for Child Care Service of Delaware County, Pa., '71-'73; on faculty, Graduate School of Social Welfare, Fla. State U., '65-'69; Senior Psychiatric Social Worker U. of Calif. Medical Center, San Francisco; Psychiatric Social Worker in Boulder, Colo., also Instructor in Political Science at Boulder U.; Instructor and Director of Social Activities, Colo. Women's College, Denver; Research Assistant for Welfare and Health Council of New York City also at the Public Administration Clearing House in New York City. Selected by Institute for Indic-Islamic Studies as one of 15 Am. professors for study tour of Pakistan summer of 1974; National Institute of Health traineeship for doctoral study; represented Bryn Mawr at Interuniversity Consortium for Political Res., U. of Mich. 1970. Has published articles in various social service journals, conducted institutes, appeared on panels, served as delegate and in other official capacities for organizations in her field. Space does not permit complete listing of her honors, affiliations, and accomplishments. In Denver appointed to College Div. of Episcopal Bishop's Council in Colo. With her dynamic personality, her great capacity for work and friendship, she has made a significant contribution to her discipline and to the broad field of education. We salute Mary Ruth Lewis, university teacher and social work practitioner, as with admiration and pride we bestow upon her the Alumnae Award for Distinguished Achievement.



## Distinguished Achievement

**VERNA TOZIER FRENCH SHAFFER, BM Piano and Organ, 1916; Post graduate summer study with Prof. Joseph Maerz, Wesleyan, and Edwin Hughes in New York.**

A native of Penn., Verna French Shaffer was a charter member of the Wesleyan Glee Club, Pres. of the Cons. Club, member of 1st Student Gov. Bd., and conducted its Toy Symphony. Three years she taught music, two of them also History of Music at Columbia College, Columbia, S.C.; has enriched the musical life of Meridian, Miss., York and Tuscaloosa, in Ala., and since 1941 of Cordele, Ga. In all has taught piano 60 yrs., served as choir director 45 yrs. These numbers, the impressive, cannot begin to assay the contribution this loving ambassador of the arts has made. Many of her students, male and female, have been inspired to make a success of musical professions. Other triumphs include her "Parade of Am. Music," at Cordele Meth. Ch., which received the "Double Ribbon with Four Stars" twice from Natl. Fed. of Music Clubs; and the Shaffer Double trio she presented all over Ala. In Cordele she directed First Meth. Ch. choirs 22½ years, was responsible for combined choirs of all the churches; putting on graduation music, Christmas & Easter Cantatas and pageants, also Handel's "Messiah" for ten years. Crisp County's Golden Jubilee featured her choir of 300 voices. Former Pres. of the Cordele Symphony Club, Reg. Dir. of GFMC, Pres. two yrs. Ga. Fed. of Music Clubs, as well as Ex. V.P., now Life Director; was charter member of Ga. Music Council (auxiliary of GEA), chairman of the music and DAR Regent. She has given herself freely, cheerfully, unselfishly to every musical interest of the city, was recognized when May 30, 1970 was declared "Verna Shaffer Day". Is listed in four volumes of Biography. We share the pride of her husband, Harold, retired lumberman, and her son, high school principal, in the prodigious accomplishments of this beloved lady, back at Wesleyan for her 60th Reunion, and we join in the appreciation of thousands of music lovers whose lives she has made more beautiful as we bestow upon her the Alumna Award for Distinguished Achievement.



## Distinguished Achievement

**LEON FRANK MOBURG, BFA 1951**  
Cum Laude MFA So. Ill. U., 1954, further  
graduate study at Ohio State.

Since graduation from old Wesleyan's School of Fine Arts, a prize ceramic and sculpture major with Gerry Bosch, Leon has won international recognition. Established ceramics program at Washburn U. in Topeka, Kan.; taught at So. Ill. U. & since 1959 at U. of Redlands, Calif. Between 1958-1966 was an invited potter to the International Ceramics Exhibition Biennial at the Smithsonian Institute, the first Am. invited to throw there, and demonstrated there before 3,000, some from foreign embassies. Travels have taken him to Mexico, Europe, and Japan, where he taught at Kyoto College of Fine Arts for one quarter. Was in the Seventh Invitational Garden Sculpture Show in the People's Art Center, St. Louis, Mo. Cedar Rapids Art Center sponsored an "Outstanding Craftsman in the USA" touring exhibit, purchased two of his ceramic pots for its permanent collection. In 1969, 63 of his ceramic pieces, "heirlooms of the future," displayed at the Bonython Art Gallery in Sydney, Australia, first of three exhibits in Australia, the others in Melbourne and Adelaide. Journeyed twice around the world visiting potters, trying a variety of primitive wheels and clays. Is perhaps the only ceramist using clay and stained glass in making lanterns and chimes with "almost fantastic effects." At Wesleyan he and his work gave happiness to many. In 1968 was invited back for a one-man show, sparking an exhilarating new interest in art on Campus. Has presented books on ceramics to Wesleyan's library and his work is in the Alumnae Museum. In 1972 showed 80 porcelains in a one-man show in Paris. His ceramics and sculpture have appeared in many national, regional, and local shows, are housed in four museums in mid-western states. Films of him throwing pots are used on art programs, as teaching aids and on educational TV. Dedicated to the creation of beauty, talented Leon Frank Moburg continues to accumulate honors and reflect glory on his Alma Mater. We take pleasure and pride in bestowing upon him this award for Distinguished Achievement, the second alumnus to be so honored.



## Distinguished Service To Wesleyan

**ARLINE ATKINS FINCH AB 1956;**  
Math, English and History, Emory  
University.

Having served as president of Student Government and chosen Miss Wesleyan it was only natural that Arline should come back to Wesleyan after graduation, first as an effective teacher in the English Department, and for eight years as an Admissions Counselor. As Wesleyan's contact in the West Palm Beach area, Arline worked all of South Florida interviewing prospective students, their parents and teachers, making recruitment a personal thing, a year-round commitment. She became deeply involved with her recruits; they were her "family", whom she visited on campus, listening to them, encouraging them, and staying in frequent touch with their parents. The College is indebted to Arline for a large percentage of Florida students, who found in her a trusted, interested friend. She has contributed many constructive ideas to use in areas of recruitment, and in 1970 conducted the Task Force for Recruitment. Though retired from the staff and enjoying her new home in Atlantis, Florida, with her banker husband, Ronald, she remains an active arm of the Admissions Office and the Alumnae Association. She is a "standing volunteer" who always does a superlative job, be it organizing prospective student and alumnae meetings, or acting as Loyalty Fund Agent and Challenger. "I enjoy staying busy for something I believe in, so use me," she wrote. "Wesleyan is a very dear place to me and my gratitude deepens each year." To modest, attractive, devoted Arline Atkins Finch, who represents all that is finest in a Wesleyan woman, we confer with our gratitude, this Alumnae Award for Distinguished Service to the College.



## Distinguished Service To Wesleyan

**BETTY JO HAMMOCK BOYES, AB**  
1948

Wesleyan has been both vocation and avocation to Betty Jo Boyes, known affectionately in the College family as BJ. In 1949 she was Alumnae Area Representative in her home town of Hazlehurst, Ga. For five years, from 1963 to 1968, worked as Admissions Counsellor for Wesleyan, serving as Area Representative in Atlanta. She charmed young and old with her bubble and bounce, her devotion to her Alma Mater, influencing many fine girls to choose Wesleyan. Besides her professional activities she has through the years been a stalwart support of alumnae affairs, a mainstay of the Atlanta Alumnae Club and presently Ways & Means Chairman. In 1967-69 she was President of that important segment of alumnae, helping to generate excitement and interest in the members thru such projects as a tea and musical at the Governor's Mansion, Wesleyan College Day in Atlanta, and other meaningful projects, even to using lavender notepaper! Once she wrote Eunice Thomson, Alumnae Secretary, "I am always happy to do anything that I can for Wesleyan, so don't hesitate to call on me." Wesleyan has been calling on Betty Jo ever since, and not once has she faltered in her enthusiastic response, her unceasing loyalty. Teaching school in Hazlehurst, working for Eastern Airlines in Atlanta, marriage to John W. Boyes, of Nyack, N.Y., the birth of their son in 1968 and running an antique and gift shop with two friends in historic Vinings, Ga., all have enriched her life but have not detracted from her intense and constant service to the College she loves. For this we delight in conferring upon Betty Jo Boyes this Alumnae Award.

**THESE SIX HONORED  
WITH AWARDS IN '76**

## ERA FASHION SHOW



Certainly a highlight in a weekend of highlights was the Era Fashion Show, on Friday evening after the banquet in Anderson Dining Hall. Alumnae of varied ages modelled clothing of their day on a palm-banked platform in the grand Oval Hall of Candler Alumnae Center, while John O'Steen, of the music faculty, played nostalgic background music on the Hightower Steinway.

Norman McLean set the mood by singing "A Wesleyan Girl is Like a Melody". The music faded into a tune from "Hair" and Helen Farmer Popejoy, at the mike, introduced the girls of '71 by reading from the script:

"We didn't quite realize what hit us when all that hair started to grow, and those long straight strands, parted in the middle, became ubiquitous . . . not to mention pants dragging the floor, jeans and T-shirts. The sloppy look was the IN thing . . ."

The girls of '71, back for their fifth reunion, spoke for themselves, presenting a hilarious skit which is only suggested by some of the pictures shown here . . .

Harriet Cauthorn wore a late-to-class outfit, night shirt covered by a raincoat . . . Pat Jones had on something for all the weekends — Old South, Homecoming, May Days, etc. . . Linda Anderson Bailey chose jeans, buttoned-up sweater . . . May Beth Irwin DeBrueese stacked up the things for cheer leader, a weekend traveller,

book worm, etc. . . Nancy Dill Wicke represented the four class stunts, combining a garbage sack, Ex-Lax hat, and a charge card.

"In the 60's the Beatles revolutionized music with their 'Yeah . . . yeah . . . yeah' . . . Fashion got a little frenzied, even psychadelic, but at Wesleyan things were still on the pretty and classic side." Sandi Shipp modelled a madras coat and a Villager blouse, with circle pin on collar; Cile Adams Matthews, president of '66, wore a brown wool suit; Shirley Ray Pace wore light blue silk worsted encrusted with pearls and sequins . . .

The Silver Belles of '51 paraded in some clothes Courtney Knight Gaines had collected in her garage for Goodwill, but the Boy Scouts failed to call for them. She donned a royal blue faille tea dress, with built-in crinolines . . . Nell Hall chose a cotton printed in red roses, which she "might have worn when parents came for dinner, or on that historic day when President Silas Johnson broke ground for the Porter Auditorium . . ."

For 1956 Trudy Topolosky wore blue jeans; Linda Winslett chose a May Day dress, "from the ridiculous to the sublime."

From 1957 Julie Adams Hawk wore red trim on a plaid suit, a black sweater and the omnipresent string of pearls — and Baby Doll pumps — just right for a frat party at Mercer.

Social Standards was teaching

the girls to be ladies, to wear hose and heels, to dress with dignity. The girls liked to visit around at various churches, perhaps hoping to meet some boys, before going back to the College for lunch. Liz Dykes Breeland wore a gray wool which might have caught masculine eyes.

For Class Activities, these Golden Hearts wore sweat shirts and beanie, with Bobby sox and bebops. Virginia Mackay Larson showed how they looked at games and ratting and Homecoming . . . on the romantic side Jean Elsom Hogan undulated across the platform in a Scarlett O'Hara hoopskirt and horsehair hat, right out of Dr. Akers' book on Wesleyan's first hundred years.

For D-A-T-E-S, Allee Gardner Hollis chose a deep turquoise satin, for a bit of jitterbugging to Elvis on the jukebox at some "on limits" spot . . . and for dancing, Mary Lewis could surely have been the sweetheart of KA or Sigma Nu, or some other Mercer frat, in her strapless pink net over satin.

In the Fabulous Forties, Christian Dior was the darling of fashion, but young people at Wesleyan were addicted to sweaters and skirts. Lucy Cline Huie wore such a uniform, sweater buttoned down the back, longish skirt, sox and saddle shoes, even if the latter did not fit at her Jade reunion!

Back in the 30's they had Depression — and Mae West. Bet-





Malene



Lucy



Freda



Queen & President

ty Hitch Owens flounced on in a "Mae West special" of tomato red taffeta, with gold nailheads. It was worn by Marie Cochran Hayes at the 1933 Thanksgiving banquet. She must have been some tomato! Sweet as sugar and in the pink was Jamie Tyson Dodd that night, in a two-piece crocheted outfit with hat to match, which Marie crocheted in her senior year in a shell stitch. Suitable for church, or courting, they said.

The Thirties brought Greta Garbo, who "wanted to be alone," and Edward, who gave up his throne for a woman he loved . . . and Malene Lee Morgan, who had danced all over Macon from the time she was an airy little fairy. At Wesleyan she had been a member of Miss Isabel Kinnett's gym dance class, flinging into the wind filmy multicolored scarves, artfully dyed by Miss Kinnett herself. That night she gave an aesthetic interpretation of the Meditation from "Thais", as she did at the Sophomore-Senior Banquet of 1932, wearing the same pink crepe-de-chine costume. (see photo)

The white satin Grecian gown worn in 1936 for the 100th birthday of Wesleyan's charter could have been modeled by Linda Anderson Lane, as "Wesleyan", had it not fallen to shreds. Her grandson's wife, Laura (Mrs. Frank Lane, of Greensboro, N.C.) had planned to "stand in" for her grandmother.

The Golden Girls presented a

bevy of señoritas in Spanish shawls, Almarita Booth Johnston, Emily Lawton, Sulee Barnum Parker, Virginia Brown Salter, and Katherine Lowe Clarke. The latter's was white, similar to the one worn by Isabella Harris in the Vetterropt, draped to leave one shoulder bare. "That was considered pretty daring in 1926, especially for modest, brainy Queen Isabella, who is unable to be here tonight because of illness," said the script. "When students such as Claudia Dykes exposed a shoulder, or too much neck or bosom, the lady principal, Miss Wendell, tucked in wide silk straps . . ."

The Golden Girls had hoped to have their swimming champ, Elizabeth Peck, back to model an Annette Kellerman suit, also Mamie Harmon, in basketball bloomers and middy. Isabel Richter was on hand, in a long-waisted dotted cotton, and sweet Emily Brown Rumble in a green dress with six rows of silk fringe. She played the uke and everyone joined in singing "Shine on, Harvest Moon." Frances Cater Snow came in with her granddaughter, Cater Clay, who wore the dress Frances, now older, wiser — and stouter took her vows in, three weeks after graduation, when Dr. Quillian bound her to Cubbedge Snow, a rising young lawyer. It was peach chiffon and taffeta, with hat to match.

"In the pre-women's Lib era of

50 years ago, Wesleyan grads had three choices — to get married, to teach, or be a missionary." One of Miss Garner's journalism students chose to seek a newspaper career in Chicago. From those days, Freda Kaplan Nadler, who wrote the script and coordinated the show, had saved an elegant short white chemise or shift, heavily beaded, which she has given to the Wesleyan museum. That night, she danced the Charleston in it!

For climax, the Queen of the Golden Girls, 1926 May Queen Elizabeth Cannon Nunn, came out resplendent in royal purple robe and crown adorned with moonstones from the jewel box of Nettie Dunlap Wortham, a museum treasure.

"We have asked our most distinguished Rosenkavalier, President W. Earl Strickland, to present to our Queen of the Golden Girls, one red rose for remembrance . . . remembrance of the golden days spent at Wesleyan College, for the teachers whose influence has run a shining thread through the past fifty years . . . for the ideals of the Oldest and Best, purer than the purest gold, which have inspired her daughters . . . for the friendships smelted in the crucible of college days and still casting a patina which will illuminate whatever time the future has in store. Let us hail the Golden Girls of 1926, as we Hail Wesleyan!"





They gobbled up the goodies—also all the Macon Club cookbooks—at the Kitchen Karavan April 1. A revised edition of the cookbook is being prepared.



Jimmy, Caron, '76 and niece, Amanda Griffin, at rally in Warner Robins, Ga.



Thelma Strickland admires old lace at needlework exhibit.

## On The Campaign Trail

When the Peanut Brigade, 100 Georgians for Jimmy Carter, flew to Baltimore last month they included Josephine Beddingfield Abney, '29, and your Editor, also the Mayor of Macon, Buck Melton, and others of assorted ages and stations.

It was a great adventure — hard work, meeting all kinds of people, exchanging views, having fun in the process of helping America choose a presidential candidate.

They rang row-house doorbells, distributed information at the Preakness, at the Oriole's ball park, on Cornbeef Row. One of the high spots was a yard party in Pikesville in honor of Rosalynn Carter (Mrs. Jimmy). Another was being with Caron Griffin Carter and Chip, who had a last visit with their Wesleyan friends in the Atlanta airport, where Connie Berg Plunkett, '68, met the crowd. Connie is Georgia coordinator for the campaign.

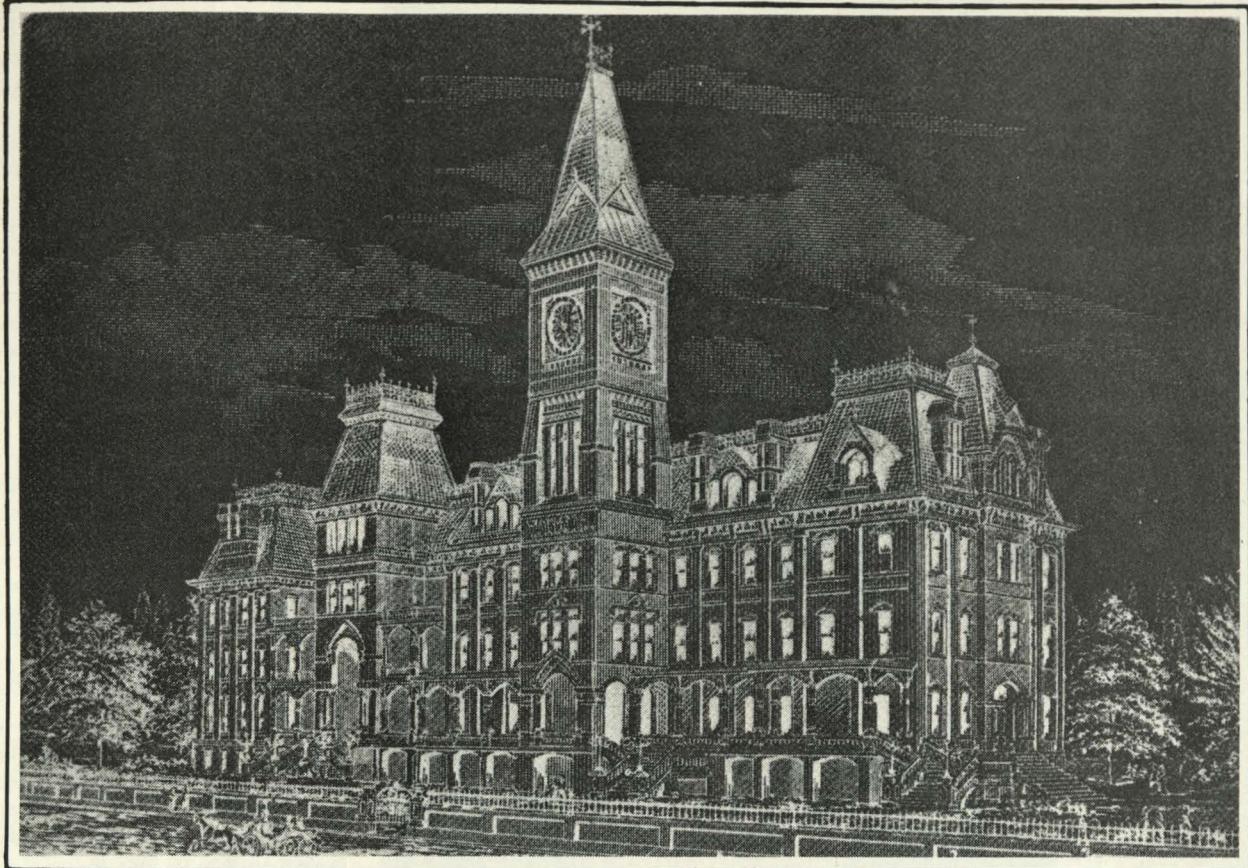
Caron, '73, has been campaigning a year — to 32 states, including Hawaii.

"Chip and I saved for 2 years so we could afford to go," she said. "We quit our jobs, stay at people's homes." (Her Daddy had bought their breakfast).

She wished she could have been at Wesleyan for Reunion. She had seen several friends at Anne Thornton's wedding in Nov., where Linda Brown and Mary Graham Ponder were attendants, and Carol Bacon, Hale Coble, and she were present.

"I love to remember the close times I had at Wesleyan," she said, "like singing songs to our Sister class the night before Homecoming, up on the Loggia, and going down to the fountain for hot chocolate and doughnuts . . ."

On her political travels, Caron recruits students for Wesleyan. Her latest is a girl from Maine.



**Antique Photo Engraving Wesleyan College C. 1881 by Tom Prochaska, chairman of Art Department.  
Can be ordered. \$7 plus tax.**

## Youngest in History

Ten years after her graduation, Sandra Bell Shipp, Macon, assumes the presidency of the Wesleyan Alumnae Assn., at 31 the youngest in the history of the College.

Sandi served as president of the Macon Alumnae Club when the Kitchen Karavan was instituted; the past three years she has been national vice president, in charge of the Alumnae Weekend program.

Born in Folkston, Ga., Savannah was her home. At the end of her sophomore year, a major in American studies, she married Robert Shipp, becoming a day student while he finished law school. They have one son, Ruskin, in the first grade and a Suzuki violin student.

Music plays a large part in Sandi's life. She was youth organist at Bull Street Baptist Church, in Savannah, works in music with handicapped children at Tinsley

School of Special Education, Macon. She is also a member of V-Notes, 20 women who sing at schools, nursing homes, and civic clubs. She takes care of the yard of a gracious home in Hilandale Circle, plays tennis with "the girls"—and Bob, but says she has no time for hobbies!

She does have pets — a Schipperke dog named Tar Baby, and Alex, a Persian cat, "queen of the house."

Officers to serve with red-haired Sandi are First VP, Mrs. J. Otey Walker, III (Susan Woodward) '70; Second VP, Mrs. Donald A. Barkley (Laura Sullivan) '68; Third VP, Mrs. Dennis Beall (Edwina Hall) '53; Fourth VP, Miss Debra Stockton '74; Secretary, Mrs. W. L. Mellard (Florabelle Bloodworth) '61; Treasurer, Mrs. W. H. Burns (Rosalind Allison) '47;

Past President, Mrs. David L. Richardson (Jackie Davis) '60; Alumnae Director, Mrs. Richard Van Horn (Frances Bruce) '53; Ass't. to Director, Miss Alice Domingos '40; Alumnae Editor,



Mrs. Charles E. Nadler (Freda Kaplan) '26; Members at Large, Mrs. Rufus Green (Jane Mulkey) '42; Mrs. A. J. Swann, Jr. (Martha Bradford) '47; Mrs. Floyd Moon (Joy Coody) '64; Trustees, Mrs. Graham Ponder (Adelaide Wallace) '46; Mrs. M. P. Efland (Mildred Fincher) '42; and Mrs. Bettijo Hogan Cook '48.



#### MACON CLUB OFFICERS

President, Mary Jo Plowden (Mrs. Wallace W.) '68; 1st Vice President, Dot Ogden Brown (Mrs. S. Phillip) '67; 2nd Vice President, Karen Connor Shockley

#### Letters

Dear Freda,

What a joy it was to be back at Wesleyan! May I thank you and Frances Snow for your hospitality which helped make our visit such an enjoyable occasion. Going back to Wesleyan always renews the sense of security which I have always felt from being a member of the Wesleyan family. During the career years of my life as a naval officer, teacher and guidance counselor, my educational background has enabled me to feel as well qualified as the many men and women with whom it has been my privilege to work and who had graduated from many different colleges and universities.

Now, during my retirement years, Wesleyan still sustains me in spirit and fills me with a sense of pride. These years seem to be the best of all. The blessing of good health enables me to enjoy activities that I now have time for, such as foreign travel, gardening, sewing and painting. I have been studying oil painting with a former student of Miss Rivers who taught art at Wesleyan so long. It is a very satisfying hobby and I have been fortunate enough to sell several paintings.

If any of my classmates and other Wesleyan friends come to Daytona Beach, I'd like to have them visit me in my home which I have titled "Parva domus, magna quies".

Thank you again for making our 50th the memorable occasion it was to all of us.

Sincerely,

L. Cdr. M. Alice Barnum, '26  
USNR (Ret.)  
Daytona Beach, Florida  
30 April 1976

#### Leach Eye Clinic

The Anne Bates Leach Eye Hospital of the University of Miami School of Medicine has been dedicated in honor of Mrs. Willaford R. Leach, of Palm Beach. It will serve as the eye treatment section of the Bascom Palmer Eye Institute. The 6-story, \$9.5 million structure provides new, modern in-patient facilities, new concepts in operating rooms, and more space for examining, diagnosing, and treating outpatients. Mrs. Leach, good friend and Honorary Alumna of Wesleyan, has been most generous in the field of philanthropy.

#### Ann Given Pin

Ann Munck, '38, associate professor of English, was presented a 25-year plus service pin at the final meeting of the faculty.

#### President Cited

President W. Earl Strickland was awarded a pin recognizing his 15-plus, years of service to the College at the recent meeting of the Board of Trustees. The 1976 Vetterropt was dedicated to President Strickland.

The Stricklands' middle daughter, Ellen Earl, was married to Thomas George Clann, of New Orleans, on May 15.



Jean Elson Hogan promotes fashion show in Macon Sunday Paper.

Jane Cary Peck, '53  
Williamstown, Mass.  
Aug. 27, 1975

## Japan Alumnae Club

Six of 12 ICU (International Christian University) women who attended Wesleyan met April 27 in Kawasaki-city at the home of Setsuko Kato Taguchi, the 1971 exchange student and organized a Japan-Wesleyan alumnae club. Their object is to encourage Japanese to attend Wesleyan and to help Wesleyan students in Japan enjoy their visits.

It was "a happy gathering, a historic event", Setsuko wrote the Stricklands, who had suggested such an organization when they were on a trip to Japan.

"Jannette (a Wesleyan exchange student), Kimie, Masako, Yoko, and Rieko Oda, who will go to Wesleyan this fall, gathered at my house . . . Some who are living in foreign countries contacted us by mail . . . Kimi and Masako kept their eyes on the photo albums and year book Yoko brought with her. We talked about a joyful dorm life, many activities in school . . . an unbelievable amount of assignments, beautiful flowers in spring in Macon, lovely houses, ice cream shops . . . touching commencement . . . there were so many things to recall . . . sometimes we were speechless with laughter . . . We spoke both in Japanese and English, no age difference, no barrier . . . "we can keep in touch forever . . ." Setsuko will be president and Yoko the "manager" this year.

"We all cherish our own wonderful memories of Wesleyan and we were happy to reaffirm we were school mates, we were all Wesleyannes!"

An article on Mikako Okayama, with a colored picture of her in the Fickling Cherry Grove appeared in the Macon Sunday Telegraph and News May 23.

## Fickling Grove

The William A. Fickling Cherry Grove is the name bestowed upon the area directly behind Candler Alumnae Center, in honor of the Trustee Emeritus who provided the flowering cherry trees there.

Mr. Fickling generously and graciously helped to beautify the Macon area and the Wesleyan campus with gifts of cherry trees and other plant material which were raised under his personal supervision. An article on "The Man Who Gives Away Cherry Trees", by Freda K. Nadler, '26, was published as cover story, with colored photographs, in the March 14 Sunday Magazine of the Atlanta **Journal and Constitution**. A brick walkway has been made possible by Ella Mae Ellis League, '21, to intersect the grove.

## Thomas B. Swann, Jr.

Friends were saddened to hear of the death of Thomas B. Swann, Jr., Winter Haven, Fla., former teacher of English at Wesleyan, after a 4-year fight with cancer. He was considered one of the 10 best fantasy writers of America, his works translated into French, Dutch, and Norwegian.



## Deadline is July 15 for New England Trip

Hurry! Hurry! Hurry!

Time is running out for reservations on the alumnae-sponsored Bicentennial Tour to Boston and New England. Ten days, beginning Sept. 15, will be spent in this historic section of the USA, just in time for fall color.

You can join the happy group, including husbands and other males, by sending a check for \$100 at once to the Alumnae Office to hold your reservation. The price from

Atlanta or Macon and return is \$675, with first class hotels and inns all the way, and almost all of the meals.

Itinerary includes 3 days in Boston, sightseeing to Newport, Sturbridge Village, the Berkshire Hills, the Green Mountains, the Lake Region of New Hampshire, the White Mountains, Maine—even a ride on a lobster boat—and a clam bake!

Fill in the coupon or call Alumnae Office, 477-1110. And hurry! hurry! hurry!

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## CLASSNOTES



'05

LILLIAN SOLOMON ROBERTS, Macon, wore her mother's hundred-year-old dress to the banquet Alumnae Weekend, and was a center of attraction.

'09

1909 Next Reunion in '77

LOUISE DAVIS DAVISON, Atlanta, had three wonderful trips last year, she reports, to South America, to New York to attend the International Biographical Center Conference with people from six continents, and to Washington, D.C. for the celebration of the Golden Anniversary of the American Speech and Hearing Assn. Louise has been a member of the latter group since 1932. A pioneer in the field of speech, she established the Davison School, which is thriving. "I am thankful it continues to help children to take their places in the social and economic world," she wrote. Last July, Louise was honored by the Georgia Speech and Hearing Assn., of which she is a member, at its Jekyll Island meeting, and at the University of Ga. in Sept. by the Georgia Speech Communicators, of which she was a founder. For five years she has been retired, living at Canterbury. She has 3 children, 8 grands, and 5 great-grands. She looks forward to visiting one of the grandsons, transferred to Hawaii for the next 3 years.

'11

1911 Next Reunion in '81

Sympathy to FRANCES DAVENPORT HUDSON, Americus, Ga., on the loss of her brother, Dr. Lowery Frederick Davenport, in May.

'13

1913 Next Reunion in '78

Sympathy to CLAUDIA DAVENPORT

LEONARD, Americus, Ga., on the death of her brother, Dr. Lowery Frederick Davenport, in May.

PANSY AIKEN SLAPPEY, after many years in Atlanta, now lives in the retirement home, Lanier Gardens, in Athens, Ga. Her husband, George, not well, is at the Monroe Convalescent Home. They were contributing columnists for the weekly Athens OBSERVER. Pansy is in a workshop creating a book of children's stories from the childhood experiences of older people, using tape recorders. She and LOIS HATCHER RAINES, '15, remember Mme. Chiang Kai-Chek, and treasure autographed copies of her books. She believes that colleges should support parent vouchers, or some other idea of sharing educational support, she writes, as "a solution to a fair deal for private or church schools." Pansy was the first girl to earn a degree from UGA graduate school, she claims, also studied at Radcliffe.

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1914 Next Reunion in '79

THEODORA ATKINSON COBB's son, Dr. John B. Cobb, Jr., Ingraham Professor of Theology at Claremont School of Theology, has received the Woodrow Wilson Fellowship. He is the first theologian to be so appointed, reports his aunt, MARGARET ATKINSON CLARK, '18. He and his wife are spending the spring semester in Washington, D.C. One of their four sons is attached to the Environmental Policy Center in Washington. Margaret, who lives in LaGrange, Ga., composed Wesleyan's Alma Mater, is one of 4 Atkinson girls who came to the Oldest and Best.

JOSIELLA HENDERSON BIVINS, Cordele, Ga., wrote she was delighted to be with her only sister's granddaughter, BECKY SHINGLER, on Alumnae Weekend. "My little souvenir flower is full of buds, and I look forward to the flowers." Only a broken, but mended hip prevents her joining an alumnae tour.

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1917 Next Reunion in '77

Sympathy to ELIZABETH DAVENPORT PLANT, Macon, on the death of her brother, Dr. Lowery Frederick Davenport, retired internist of Boston, in Sarasota, Fla. in May.

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1918 Next Reunion in '78

MATTIE ARMOR HALE, West Point, Ga., sent an article, with photo, which appeared in the Sunday Atlanta JOURNAL and CONSTITUTION, Jan. 11. It described her mother's "life-long fight to make the United States a dry country." Dubbed "The Georgia Cyclone", Mary Harris Armor spoke all over the country and in many foreign lands, helped organize the national WCTU. She died in 1950, at 87. She has been named to the list of "25 historic Georgia Mothers", a Bicentennial project of the Georgia Mothers' Assn. Daughter Matt-

tie, 78, is a retired teacher and the widow of a Methodist minister. Her sister lives in Eastman, Ga. In spite of all her travels, "mother never neglected any of us," said Mattie.

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1919 Next Reunion in '79

MARY POPE WATSON TURK, Rome, Ga., wrote: "I do so enjoy getting the news from former friends . . . I want to contribute to NOW. I live alone as my husband passed away Jan., 1974, after a long illness. I know now that one can live with a broken heart but cared for by a wonderful Heavenly Father.



Linda's "grands", Frank Lane and wife Laura.

LINDA ANDERSON LANE, Macon, was happy to see a large group of out-of-town relatives when daughter Linda presented a concert on April 27 for the benefit of the Macon Museum of Arts and Sciences. A former teacher of piano at Wesleyan, Linda has concertized widely, making her London debut last year.

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1920 Next Reunion in '80

REBECCA CAUDILL AYARS, of Illinois and Arizona (Tucson), has a new book, "Wind, Sand, and Sky", published by Duton. For children, it is a collection of very beautiful haiku poems. Becky has won many honors for her contributions to children's literature.

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Sympathy to ELIZABETH LOYALL WOODS, Macon, on the death of her sister, JENNIE LOYALL MANGET, on April 7.

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1922 Next Reunion in '77

JEFFIE BENNETT SMITH, Reference Librarian in the Annex Reading Room of the Library of Congress, Washington, D.C., retired last July 31 after 15 years in the Public Reference Section of the General Reference and Bibliography Division. She was presented with a Meritorious Service Award, citing her in particular for her efforts to improve reader service by initiating

steps to establish a card catalogue of the Annex reference collection. Born in Hazelhurst, Ga., Jeffie studied Spanish literature at Columbia and George Washington, also library science at GSCW and at Catholic U. Before her library connection, she taught Spanish at Wesleyan, operated her husband's insurance agency after his death, served as City Clerk, and compiled a history of Jefferson Davis County. She plans to divide her time between Washington and Georgia.

SARA EMMA HERNDON ARTHUR, Bridgeton, N.J.: "I enjoy so very much every copy of Wesleyan College NOW. I am enclosing a small check to help with the expenses of your interesting publication."

Thanks to HELEN MOORE PERSON, Clarksville, Tenn., who wrote to all the members of her class. Only one of her 74 notes was returned, address unknown: CLEMENTINE STROZIER, of Atlanta. KATE LYONS AINSWORTH lives in Hattiesville, Miss., only four blocks from her daughter, ELOISE AINSWORTH GRAY. Eloise has five children and three grandchildren. Two of her children have homes in Hattiesburg. Kate, the third child, lives in Valdosta, Ga.; her husband teaches high school while working on his Master's degree. The second son attends Vanderbilt, studying to be a doctor.

HELEN MOORE PERSONS taught foreign languages for 36 years at Gallatin High School in Tenn. Concurrently, for 20 years she taught chorus at the high school, and for 15 years directed the choir of First Baptist Church. She appreciates the opportunity she had of studying music with Doris Onderdonk Jelks and Mr. Bailey. Last July Helen moved to Clarksville to be with her daughter Jo Anne and family. Jo Anne teaches literature at Clarksville High, and her husband is manager of a company. Helen's son, Edward, is an electrical engineer in Oklahoma City. He was recently elected to the Honeywell President's Club which is composed of 55 Honeywell representatives from North America, Europe, and Australia. Helen's husband died in 1972.

'23                    1923 Next Reunion in '78  
Sympathy to GENEVIEVE BROOME JONES, West Point, Ga., on the death of her sister, CHRISTINE BROOME, '16, who died April 8. Christine was professor of modern language at Wesleyan, teaching for over 40 years. We hope to have a visit on campus from Genevieve in the near future.

'24                    1924 Next Reunion in '79  
In its column "50 Years Ago Today", on March 14, the Atlanta **Journal** and **Constitution** noted: "Wesleyan picks its headliners. Shown are RUBY TANNER, most athletic; KATHERINE CATCHINGS, daintiest, JEAN ASKEW, most venturesome; LUCILLE BERRY,

happiest; MARY ALLMAN, cutest; and CELESTE COPELAND, Miss Wesleyan."

Congratulations to ISABEL HACKETT KINNETT, Macon, on the marriage of her granddaughter.

LILLIAN BUDD JACKSON, Macon, wrote a charming letter to your Editor, sharing memories of Miss Virginia Garner, the Quillians, and "Miss Jennie" Loyall Manget. "Miss Jennie and I did quite a bit of Church work together (WSCS). Our trip to Cincinnati was wonderful. She took me out to where the Conservatory was when I was there, but the baseball people had taken it over . . . Always I enjoy your alumnae magazines. If I ever had to move (we have lived in the same house we built in 1929), your magazines would go on the moving truck."

**'25                    1925 Next Reunion in '78**

MARTHA FEW, Decatur, Ga., had a bout with the flu. She wrote she was still exhausted from getting her three roommates to their Golden Reunion last year.

**'26                    1926 Next Reunion in '78**

The Golden Girls recaptured the Spirit of '26 at their reunion. They were full of pep, "young", and so very happy to be back at Wesleyan, "Greater Wesleyan", they called it in those days of the College on the Hill. They stole the limelight at the Era Fashion Show; they took collective maternal pride in the speaker the next day. The party Frances and Freda had at Frances' late into the night was fun; the final "au revoir" at Freda's on Sat., when the festivities were over, was enthusiastic, not sad. To top it off, MAMIE HARMON called from New York, eager to hear all details, sorry her publication duties had kept her away. The Golden Girls asked that their gift to the College be used to honor Jennie Loyall Manget.

MARTHA MIDDLEBROOKS ROBERTS, Atlanta, said the Golden Reunion was "a once in a lifetime experience. You made us feel young!" The joy of Martha's life, she says, are her eight grandchildren, ranging from 13 to 23. Martha lost her husband in 1967. Their oldest son, also a druggist, keeps the store owned by the family for 25 years, across from Phipps' Plaza; Martha's apartment is just two blocks away.

HELEN GOEPP McCARREN, Macon: "It was so good to see our classmates of 1926. They all looked wonderful and had so much energy and enthusiasm. Everyone appreciated your kind hospitality." Helen has spent 45 years teaching piano and violin privately. She led an all-girl orchestra at Old Lanier High and Miller High, played in the Macon Symphony, played piano and taught Church School at Christ Church for 30 years. She and her husband have been

active in civic life. Three times she served as president of the Opti-Mrs. Club. She and Dr. McCarren have a son and two daughters. Mary Jane McCarren Brantley, '65 (degree in Music Education), has earned her Master's at UGA. Helen and her husband, both retired, enjoy travel.

LAVADA HARPER EVERES, Jacksonville, Fla., wrote the Editor of NOW: "Our fiftieth Class Reunion will long be remembered as the perfect one!"

MILDRED JACKSON COLE, Baconton, Ga., thought the Golden Reunion a "High Light event." Mildred married John Cole, of DeKalb, Miss., in 1929, lived in La., and moved back to Albany, Ga. in 1935. Her husband retired in 1969 after 45 years as a research pathologist on pecan diseases with USDA. They have two children, Dolores Maureen, at Wesleyan from 1953-55, married to Bruce Benton, Macon lawyer. Son John Jr., with a Ph.D. in Medical Microbiology, UGA, is married, is in Tifton with UGA Diagnostic and Animal Disease Research lab. "There are five precious grandchildren and we are wishing that four will be Wesleyannes . . . We boast of one grandson . . ." The grandchildren come often and enjoy the Shetland pony and cart, other animals and cabin on the fishpond of the old family estate where the Cole's retired. Cole had a stroke in 1973. Mildred reentered teaching in 1949, earned her M.Ed. from UGA in 1963, and retired in 1974 after 29 years, 15 as a teaching-principal. She is church organist and choir director at Baconton Methodist Church. She has just completed a family history, which she dedicated to her sister, DOLORES JACKSON DAVIS-CROMARTIE, '28. "Life continues to be one sweet song," she says.

LOLA HAGOOD DAVIS, Marietta, Ga., wrote: "I am a Golden Ager, and I am truly sorry circumstances forbid my attending this reunion. I would like to see all of the 1926's and learn their news of grandchildren, etc. I have one son, who is a physician, specialty Obstetrics and gynecology, three adorable grandchildren, ages 10, 5, and 3. I am still at work in my brother's office; he is a surgeon. Father died in 1972 and now I am living alone. I keep in touch with MILDRED SESSIONS and DOROTHY ALLEN LUND, of Miami, Fla. I am enclosing a check for the Loyalty Fund."

ELIZABETH PECK, Asheville, N.C.: "How I wish I could be with the Class of '26 at Wesleyan. I had looked forward to this reunion for years. Before I knew the dates, however, I had planned a trip which involves several other people . . . I send my love and greetings . . . I love Wesleyan and remember my years there as among the happiest of my life."

CARRIE ALLGOOD, Washington, D.C.

brought along her sister, Mrs. Shirley Noland, from Athens, Ga., who joined in the fun of reunion.

ELIZABETH CANNON NUNN, Perry, Ga., wrote her thanks for a successful class reunion. "You made being a 50-year grad fun, rather than sad! . . . I loved being there with all of you. I hope to continue to see and enjoy you during the next fifty years!" Elizabeth, student May Queen at Wesleyan, was Queen of the Golden Girls in the Style Show. Her son, Sam, US Senator, was speaker on Alumnae Day.

MARY ALLMAN ALFORD, Cincinnati, O., cute as ever, commented, "Old age and Medicare — and Wesleyannes — all great!"

LOUISE STUBBS LOWREY, who was graduated in 1925, considers herself a member of the Class of '26, even though she participated in the 1975 Golden Reunion. Louise began with the '26 girls, took courses at Mercer, and received her Wesleyan diploma a year ahead of her good friends. But she joined them in celebrating their 50th this year! Louise and Jim spent the winter in Spain.

K. WALKER McELHENNEY, Dallas, Tex., could not get to reunion as she was a delegate to the state meeting of PEO, "a fine organization active in the north and west," also she had to attend the annual luncheon of the Pierian study club, of which she is president. "When I came to our class reunion (was it 1968?) I fully intended to return and be a Golden Girl. They were so cute and I thought we could do as well . . . FRANCES HOLLAND COX and I had planned to room together. Maybe I can make the next one . . . remember me to the others, and I'll surely miss being at the 'Crows' Nest' au revoir."

ISABELLA HARRIS, Atlanta, was especially missed at the Golden Reunion. She has not been well. Isabella had sent your Editor copies of reports of her sister Safford's posthumous induction into the Hall of Fame of the Special Libraries Assn. "The story about Safford which you edited and published were excellent," she wrote. Her brother David, and Katie, spent Christmas with Isabella. (see picture Back Cover)

'28 1928 Next Reunion in '78  
INDUK KIM PAHK, of Korea and Washington, D.C., was the keynote speaker at the state convention of the West Virginia Division of the American Association of University Women on April 24. The bulletin reported that Induk was a graduate of Ewha, the first school for girls in Korea, of Wesleyan College in Macon, and received her MA from Columbia U.; also that she founded Berea in Korea, a self-help school for boys in Seoul that she has written two books, has lectured all over the world, including 6,000 speeches in North America.

Sympathy to FRANCES LOWE, Gray, Ga., on the death of her sister, MARY E. LOWE, in March.

ANNE HOYL UPCHURCH and her husband, Thomas Benton Upchurch, Raeford, N.C., observed their wedding anniversary while cruising the Caribbean on the Queen Elizabeth II.

'30 1930 Next Reunion in '77

MARGARET BENNETT, Greenville, S.C., wrote: "Please keep my copies of NOW coming. I read every word of this informative magazine."

LOUISE UPSHAW CORMACK, Dawson, Ga., has taught art since 1952. She now also teaches china painting in the public schools. Her husband died in 1952. They lived in Calif. from 1933 to 1951, where he was an art director for Disney Studios. She has 3 children and 7 grandchildren.

JOSEPHINE FUQUA WOODARD, Columbia, S.C., lost her husband Christmasmorning, 1971. He was General Personnel Mgr. for Southern Bell Tel. of S.C. She still teaches piano, is active in music clubs and the Women's Symphony Assn., plays the organ and sings in church choirs. She took up art late in life, enjoys travelling abroad.

'31 1931 Next Reunion in '81

HAZEL MACON NIXON, Jacksonville, Fla., wrote Frances Van Horn, "You were grand in all the different roles you played during Alumnae Weekend. Thanks for making our return a happy one. We enjoyed the Class party held in Candler Alumnae Center. We want you to know the alumnae are happy to have a special place to call their own. We really appreciate all you and your committees did to make the weekend a success." To Editor Freda Nadler she wrote: "Reports from classmates at our class party proved we were enjoying travelling and doing interesting things. We reminisced and wished for all who were absent. Those who returned for reunion were:

MABEL MCLENDON CONEY, Hawkinsville, Ga., has retired from a regional position in the Dept. of Social Services.

MARTHA MAYS LANE, Nashville, Tenn., and her Harry enjoy travelling. She told about their son and his family in New Orleans.

ANNETTE WHITE KING has both sons living in Jacksonville. Her time is filled with a variety of activities, many related to Wesleyan, and having the grandchildren near.

EUGENIA COLEMAN PAYNE has one daughter in Macon, where she and Calder live, and another in Atlanta.

RACHEL JOHNSON ROSS, Macon, is enjoying travelling with her retired doctor husband, Tom.

BETTY PRATER GILBERT and Randolph, Griffin, Ga., had just returned from Peru and other places in South America. Their son lives in Jacksonville; the two grandchildren draw them to Florida for frequent visits.

Hazel's daughter lives in Nashville, Tenn. The two granddaughters enjoy the beach when they come to Florida. "The alumnae magazine, NOW, gets better and better," she wrote.

MARY McDANIEL HURST, Conyers, Ga., lives on a lake in a round house her husband built for retirement before his death three years ago. Their 29-year-old son died 2½ months later. Mary has a daughter and 3 grandchildren in Columbia, S.C., keeps busy with Red Cross work at Emory Hospital in Atlanta, with church and woman's club work. She sings in the Conyers Methodist Church choir, travels a lot.

JULIA BRYANT EVANS and Fred, whom she married in 1936, have two children (and their spouses) and six grandchildren, "enjoying the activity of a happy family life." Julia wrote to all the Conservatory girls urging them to come back for their 45th reunion. "I just cannot believe it!" she marvelled. (see picture page 25)

'32 1932 Next Reunion in '82

Son of LOUISE PITTMAN PEABODY, St. Simons I., Ga., was a speaker at the Georgia State Workshop of the Georgia Educational Advancement Conference (GEAC) held at Wesleyan May 7. Eddie Peabody, director of publications at Ga. Tech, discussed "Techniques for Saving Money in Publications," in the public relations session.

DOROTHY SIMMONS, Macon, was the gracious hostess for our class party in her new home at 3878 The Prado. Attending the party Friday night after the banquet and activities on campus were VIRGINIA TOWNSEND MUNFORD, of Jackson, Miss., ESTELLE KING COLLAR and her husband, Bill, of Atlanta; ELIZABETH MANGET MINTER, Houston, Texas, and MALENE LEE MORGAN, of Macon. ESTELLE KING COLLAR and Bill were planning a trip to Acapulco following Alumnae Weekend; ELIZABETH MANGET MINTER, attending her first class reunion, said she and her recently retired husband, Rev. John Minter, are travelling all through the west by camper, taking some courses they wanted while in California, and they plan to go up the west coast before returning East; VIRGINIA TOWNSEND MUNFORD reported her older son, Robert, for two years has been doing medical research at Rockefeller in N.Y. and will soon leave for Boston. Virginia's youngest son, Luther, is graduating this year from U. of Va. Law School.

Notes of regret were received from MARY FELTON PAULK, of Moultrie, Ga., who, because of illness in the family, wrote she had to resign as president of our class; (We were sad to hear this shocking news!) ELEANOR WHITEHEAD SIMMS, Gatlinburg, Tenn., who did not feel equal to the trip, wanted to come and brag about her four grandchildren; ROBERTA CASON COX, formerly of Arlington, Va., who retired March 31 was in the throes of moving to Atlanta; MARJORIE WATSON of Greenville, S.C., who April 4 went out of office as president of S.C. Conference of Foreign Language Teachers and who served recently as a judge in Columbia, S.C., for High School Modern Language Day; DIXIE JONES LEDUC, who has been very busy since her husband's death over a year ago; LOUISE PITTMAN PEABODY, who has been recuperating from a severe heart attack in October, 1975, still enjoys her 3 granddaughters and 5 grandsons at their retirement home on St. Simons Island, Ga., and is planning to visit Macon in June, while Walton attends S. Ga. Conference of Methodist Churches; LILLIAN PAFFORD TATE, who was ordered to bed by her doctor after attending the wedding at Martha Washington Inn in Abingdon, Va., of her niece, LaBlanche Ellis (who used to dance for us at Wesleyan when on visits to campus), and whose older son, Jimmy, is now head of the Physical Ed. Dept. at Lovett, the largest private school in Atlanta and Georgia.

EUGENIA RAWLS SEAWELL, New York and Denver, Colo., presented "Affectionately yours, Fanny Kemble" at the Elizabethan Theatre of the Folger Shakespeare Library on April 19.

MALENE LEE MORGAN, Macon, wrote: "The weekend was *wonderful*. But please let's not have another reunion of our class until our 50th! We'll go all out then. I'll even try to dance then, too. You should have heard Ken teasing me Sunday night. He said, 'I've heard on good authority that one of our good substantial members was in an X-rated show this weekend.' Wasn't that cute?"

MARY CLARK GOWING was named Woman of the Year by the Waynesboro (Va.) Junior Woman's Club in Feb. last year. She was nominated by the local AAUW. Besides her service to the community, to her church, and to the arts she is the author of "Virginia Beyond the Blue Ridge," a book of history and photography. She also received a Special Achievement award from the Virginia Federation of Garden Clubs.

'33 1933 Next Reunion in '81  
MARGARET BURCH HARTON, Raleigh, N.C. is glad to be moved back to Georgia, close to family, friends, and college ties. Her husband, Col. Thomas G. Harton, is a

retired Army colonel, Corps. of Eng., and has also retired from the Dept. of Natural and Economic Resources in N.C.

RUTH FULWOOD WRIGHT's husband, G.A. Wright, is a retired druggist in Tifton, Ga. A lay leader and speaker, he was a delegate to the General Conference of the United Methodist Church in Portland last April. Their son George, Jr., is a cattle farmer in Tifton, Ga.; daughter Elsie is with mental health in Spartanburg, North Carolina.

ELIZABETH MOATE BAXTER, Atlanta, allocations director of United Way, received an award from the Salvation Army in April honoring her for 41 years of work with United Way and its predecessors. At the annual covoc awards presentations Sen. Sam Nunn praised the organization for its "peaceful pursuits", such as relief to Guatemala after the earthquake.

'34 1934 Next Reunion in '80

HAYES FOWLER LAWTON, Soperton, Ga., was at Wesleyan in April when her daughter, LASH LAWTON WOODCOCK, presented a program, "Music Shows America's Moods," for the Morning Music Club of Macon. Hayes spent January in India and Sri Lanka (Ceylon) with a Smithsonian Study Tour, flying with a group headed by Dr. Richard Howland, archeologist.

ROSALYN KUHR ELKAN, Macon, attended the Spring meetings of the Metropolitan Opera National Council at Lincoln Center in New York. Rosalyn studied voice and other subjects at the Conservatory during the '30's, after nearly four years at Indiana State U in Terra Haute, which she left just short of receiving her degree, to marry. She and Stanley have one daughter, Kaye Rosen, and four grandsons; the eldest, Stanley, has just been graduated from U of Virginia. Rosalyn served as president of the Macon Community Concert Assn. for nine years, is currently artists chairman.

'35 1935 Next Reunion in '80

DOROTHY ROYAL GOWER, Cordele, Ga., wrote the Alumnae Director a note of appreciation of sympathy on the death of her sister, KATHRYN ROYAL WOOTEN, early in Sept. Kathryn was in the class of 1928, finished her senior year at Mercer. She was married to the late Dr. L. O. Wooten. She was the daughter of Bertha Pate Royal, '02; niece of Ella Pate Carson, '93, sister of Eleanor Royal Ogburn, '29; Marjorie Royal, '30, and Dorothy. Nieces have gone to Wesleyan, and Eleanor's daughter, Eleanor Ogburn Kilgore, '54, spent two years, and graduated from SMU. "Mrs. Shaffer is a very dear friend of our entire family and we are very proud of the honor Wesleyan is bestowing on her, an Alumnae Award."

HAZEL TABOR KROL, Clinton, N.Y., taught for some years, received a Master's in history from Duke, married the man sitting next to her, also working on his degree. She and Walter have 6 children. Irene studies law at Washington, D.C.; Patricia, working on her CPA degree; Larry, second year med student at Dartmouth; Walter John, just graduated from UGA and looking toward med school; Nina, a registered nurse; and Kay, a college freshman.

Sympathy to Dorothy Royal Gower, who has known sorrow eight times in the past year, according to VERNA FRENCH SHAFFER. Death took a beloved aunt (last of her mother's sisters), her husband's sister, her own sister (KATHERINE ROYAL WOOTEN, ' ), her husband, two cousins (one was brother-in-law of husband), and another brother-in-law of husband. "Most of the burden rested on her," wrote Verna, "but she has been very brave. Her mother-in-law is in her nineties . . . we have grieved with them."

'36 1936 Next Reunion in '80

MARGARET STUBBS GORDON, Macon, showed a historic quilt at the Wesleyan exhibit. It was made between 1890-95 at the home of Mrs. John Wesley Huff (Ellen Stubbs). At an all-day sewing party the squares were made and signed. Margaret identifies "Grandma", her great-grandmother, Martha Woodward, who married Abner Peter Stubbs, and later William P. Simmons; "M. Simmons", later Mrs. Coates of Milledgeville; "E.E.S.", her great aunt, Ellen Stubbs Huff; and "Babe Stubbs" (Mary Kemp Stubbs), her grandmother.

Sympathy to FRANCES McCANN CANTWELL, Little Rock, Ark., on the death of her mother Dec. 15.

'37 1937 Next Reunion in '80

MARGARET EVANS KNOX, Thomson, Ga., is the new volunteer chairman of the Georgia Heart Assn.'s Seventh District, composed of 9 counties. She is former chairman of the McDuffie County heart Unit and has served several years as county Heart Chairman, also as president of United Methodist Women.

NINA TABOR DORSEY, Abbeville, Ga., lost her husband, Jake, in Dec., 1959. Nina is president and cashier of the Dorsey State Bank, oil jobber for Phillips Petroleum Co., has an insurance agency, farms, and is interested in the Chevrolet dealership. For "extra curricular activities" she is County Chairman of the Education Fund Crusade for the American Cancer Society, and has been a licensed funeral director for years, although no longer in that business. "My years at Wesleyan were happy ones," she wrote. "Thank you for them." Nina has two sons, Jim, partner in the law firm of Arnall,

Golden, and Gregory; he is married and has two sons. Glenn is mayor of Abbeville and a Chevrolet dealer there. He was married last summer. Thanks to Nina for news of her sister and others.

BILLIE WILKINS is a vice president of Fulton National Bank in Atlanta.

EVELYN SHELL CROWLEY works at a C&S Bank in Atlanta, also has a home in Pitts.

GERALDINE DORSEY CULPEPPER and Kenneth have 2 daughters and 6 grandchildren; all live in Cordele, Ga.

'38                    1938 Next Reun on in '79

ALBERTA TRULOCK BREWER and her husband, Carlton, of Norris, Tenn., are authors of a book, "Valley So Wild." A folk history, it was published this January by the E. Tenn. Historical Society, Knoxville, Tenn. When she visited Wesleyan in Jan., Alberta presented a copy to the Willet Library, inscribed, "In great appreciation of my teacher, M. Virginia Garner." She has since sent a book from the second printing for the collection by alumnae authors exhibited in the Museum Room of Candler Alumnae Center. She paid tribute to Miss Garner and her journalism courses as a great help in her writing, and teaching. She has taught part time at the U. of Tenn. School of Journalism since 1964. Her husband has been a reporter and columnist on the Knoxville NEWS-SENTINEL for thirty years and is the author of a paperback, "Hiking in the Great Smokies," now in its 8th printing. Their son, Carson, 24, is married and lives in Kansas City, where he is associate editor for the Townsend newspaper chain. "Valley So Wild" can be ordered from Gateway Book, Warner Robins, Ga.; Moffett's in Macon; or from the E. Tenn. Historical Society, Knoxville.

SUSAN MAGETTE, Charleston, S.C., with her check for Dr. Akers' book, sent as a "thank you" for the magazine ("how can you always get one better?"), for Jackie Davis Richardson's leadership and friendship, for the tours sponsored by the alumnae group, for everything. She expressed "worlds of good wishes and much love to all the class of '26."

'39                    1939 Next Reunion in '79

FRANCES GAINES HOGAN, Fresno, Calif., asked for 10 copies of the Feb. NOW magazine. "The article by Tena Roberts about Thomas Bogue Slade is of great interest to my family since he was my husband's great, great grandfather."

'40                    1940 Next Reunion in '79

MARY NELL SAMPLEY WAITE, Waycross, Ga., was elected to the Commission on Archives and History of the United

Methodist Church by the General Conference in Portland, O. A representative of the SE section, she is chairperson of the S. Ga. Conference Commission on Archives and History. She and her husband, Alvis Waite, Jr., have a daughter, Lu Alice, who is a rising sophomore at Wesleyan and Mary Abbott, '68.

'41                    1941 Next Reunion in '79  
Thanks to MARY HAINES DAVIDSON LEONARD, Valdosta, Ga., for her newsy note, also the salutation, "Gentlepersons", and her appreciation of Alumnae Weekend. "It was a real pleasure to attend," she wrote.

MARY HAINES DAVIDSON and her husband, Woodrow W., a field engineer for USDA, have lived in the Washington, D.C., area at two different times, in Jackson, Tenn., in Dublin, Ga., and for the past 12 years in Valdosta, Ga. They have three children. Beth is married, an elementary school teacher in Homewood, Ill., after graduating from LaGrange College. Susan (Wesleyan '72) is with the Brunswick (Ga.) NEWS and lives on St. Simons Island. Woody, Jr. graduates from Auburn U this June. "After the children were in school I began doing substitute teaching," she wrote. "This led me back to Valdosta State College and a late career which has been very rewarding personally. My 'pre-atom splitting' chemistry major has been changed to English, and I have been teaching in the local high schools for the past nine years."

Sympathy to SHEILA FORREST FLAHERTY, on the death of her husband, John. She is visiting with her daughter in Singa, Peru.

LOUISE SCOTT is now Mrs. John W. Dennett, living in Darien, Conn.

JEANNETTE HARRIS MORGAN, West Point, Ga., president of the 35th Jade Reunion Class, furnished the following news: Seventeen came back for Alumnae Weekend, including FRANCES JONES DUSKIN (Frankie), mascot of the Golden Anniversary Class of '26. (See photo of Golden Girls). Others enjoying the festivities: HELEN WHITE LINDELL, Jacksonville; WEEZIE TURNER BUTLER, Columbus, Ga.; SARA PHILLIPS INMAN, Albany, Ga.; HELEN LOVEIN JACKSON, Columbus, Ga.; INA DUDLEY HUMES, Columbus, Ga.; WINNETT TUNER HOLT, Thomasville, Ga.; BETSY W. COOK, Atlanta; LUCY CLINE HUIE, Jonesboro, Ga.; EMILY CAMPBELL BROWN and husband; Mansfield, O.; ELEANOR SHELTON MORRISON, Lansing, Mich.; VIRGINIA HATCHER TAYLOR, and husband, Charleston, Miss.; HAZEL HOLMES BURNS and husband, Macon; MILLIE

WAGON DAVIS, Marieon, Ala.; LILLIE TAYLOR BOSWELL, Greensboro, Ga.; MARY HAINES DAVIDSON LEONARD, Valdosta, Ga.

ANNA LOU CARRINGTON MARVIN, Walterboro, S.C., said to "tell everyone I'm the happiest girl that graduated in '41!" She was unable to come to reunion as she works part of the time for her son, who took over his grandfather's nursery business. By 'phone she told Jeannette she had been in touch with ELIZABETH ALLEN BROWN, Rome, Ga., who wanted to come to reunion but was having a wedding party for a friend of her son. She has two children, a boy in the insurance business, and a daughter who graduated at Wesleyan and is now on a grant at Emory.

ADURLINE TOMPKINS CHALLIS is an artist in Summerville, S.C., has two children at USC, one in law, one in music.

KITTY HOPPER CONNELLY, Silver Springs, Md., had to miss the weekend as she works part time at a hospital and was filling in for two weeks for another worker. Her husband is with the State Dept., which necessitates their travelling quite a bit. They have a daughter and a married son.

YVONNE CRUMLEY BROWN, Montgomery, Ala., and her dentist husband, Ansley, had planned a trip, which conflicted with reunion. They were to stop in Greensboro, N.C. to see their son, Todgie, his wife (working on her Ph.D. at UNC), and two children, a daughter 8 and a son 6. Daughter Gail is married, living in Birmingham, has two little girls.

BETSY W. COOK sent news of classmates living in Atlanta:

DOROTHY BENBOW BURNSIDE was on a trip with the Statesman Club to Jamaica and other islands. Dorothy, a former teacher, now is a substitute for the Atlanta Board of Education. Her son, Otis, a graduate of Tech in Engineering Mechanics, with a Ph.D. in that area from U. Mich., is with the Texas Southeastern Research Institute in San Antonio, is married to a German girl.

RUTH BROWN, with the same architectural firm since graduation, was kept home by the illness of her father, 87.

SARAH CANDLER GILLILAND missed reunion to accompany her husband, Jason, vice president and general counsel for the Life Insurance Co. of Ga., to a convention in London. Their son, a Phi Beta Kappa from UGA, has graduated from Emory Law School. He was married last June. Sarah reported the death of PAULINE HARRELL, Orlando, Fla., in March, 1975.

EVELYN JUDGE CHRISTIAN and Paul have a daughter, Kathy, who manages the Singer Casual Shop at Lenox Square. Their

son is studying broadcasting at Ga. State College. Paul retired from the First National Bank of Atlanta last July. "You'll think I'm crazy," she wrote, "but I've always wanted a doll house, so Paul built me one and is now working on furniture for it."

LUCY LESTER FETZ and Dick have two sons, Richard, 21, and Charles, 18, (studying engineering at Auburn). Dick is head of Radiological Health for the State of Ga. Sympathy to Lucy on the death of her mother last Nov. She and her brother have been busy settling the estate and caring for the many plants and flowers she had in her home.

Sympathy to BETTY LOFTIS MARCHANT, who lost her only child, a son, in March of this year. Betty said that when she was in Macon some time ago she drove through teh campus to see the new building constructed since she graduated.

ANNIE LILLIAN MANN WATT lived in Texas many years; she was graduated from the School of Library Science at UTex at Austin, and worked in the Austin public schools. Husband Jack had a career as professor of engineering at UTex, developed a new form of industrial engineering for hospitals, was a professor at Ga. Tech, decided to retire in Atlanta. They have three children, Madeleine, a Special Ed. teacher in Austin; Kathy, married, living in Tulsa, Okla.; and David, with the US Embassy in Mexico City. He and his Argentine wife are expecting their first baby this month. Annie Lillian and Jack recently had a visit with David. While in Mexico City they went to Cuernavaca to visit PAT JARRATT ABKARIAN, there for 30 years. Her husband is in real estate; they have two grown daughters.

BARBARA WRIGHT KELIEHOR has moved from Kyoto, Japan, to the Philippines.

KITTY PATE GOOD wrote news of her family. She has two daughters, Martha, medical technologist with the Red Cross in Atlanta, has set up a tissue typing department for them for organ transplants and bone marrow transplants for leukemia patients. She is married and has one daughter. Peggy moved to Darien, Conn. in April, has been teaching first graders. She has two daughters and looks forward now to being a full-time mother. Kitty and Bill enjoy sailing in their 21-foot sailboat.

MARGARET BRANTLEY REED lives in Athens, Ga., where her husband is a dentist. Daughter Susan, married, a graduate of the Medical College of Ga., in Augusta, practices physical therapy at Winder-Barrow Hospital in Winder, Ga. Younger daughter Margaret, graduated from Furman, is now working on her MA in English

at UGA. Margaret still sings and teaches a few piano and voice pupils, shares music and horses with her girls.

EMILY COTTINGHAM STUART, Blacksburg, Va., wrote that she has been director of the YMCA for the past 6 years at V. Tech, where her husband, Bob, teaches. With her husband a city planner they have lived all over the country. Their daughter Mary is married and working as a health planner; son Rob is still in college. Emily and Bob, with Mary and her husband, plan a month of travel and hiking in Scotland and England this summer.

MILLIE WAGNON DAVIS, Marion, Ala., and her lawyer husband, have a son and three daughters, all married and living in different places in Ala.

FLORENCE LACHICOTTE HALL lived for many years in Boston, is now at Pawley's Island, where she teaches. She could not come to reunion as her class was involved in an arts and crafts show. She has five children, one at home, and grandchildren.

MARION MAJORS CRABTREE, Panama City, Fla., wrote she was sorry she could not come, ended "Maybe I can make it in 1991!"

ROSLYN LEWIS LANGLEY, Harlan, Ky., was involved in getting her new condominium in Stuart, Fla., furnished. She has a grandson, 8, and a new one born March 29.

EMAGENE McGIBONY GRIFFIN, Monroe, N.C., wrote that she and Brook travel and fish, and work in their church, particularly active in the music program. She is a member of the Women's Handbell Choir, a delightful experience, also teaches 4 and 5 year olds in pre-school music. "Since the first real musical group to which I belonged was the Wesleyan Glee Club, with Miss Lucille Nelson directing, I suppose the exposure took to a small degree!" She and Brook have two daughters, Kiki, in Charlotte, N.C., married with two sons, ("our pride and joy"), and Holly, a junior at Western Carolina U, majoring in interior design. Emagene still loves horses, as do all the family.

GENEVIEVE SPALDING CUTTER, married to Col. Elliott C. Cutter, Jr., lives at West Point, N.Y. They have a son and a daughter, Vivi, the latter married last year.

MARGARET COBB FOLEY, Alameda, Calif., was sent by the conference of United Methodist Women to a National Legislative Training Seminar in Washington, D.C. in May.

AMEGDA JACK OVERMAN was not free to come to reunion because of her work with

the Agricultural Research and Educational Center in Bradenton, Fla. In a recent newspaper feature article, Amegda is labelled one of the leading scientists in the world in the field of nematology, an area generally dominated by men. After a year at Wesleyan Amegda went on to get her BS in Chemistry at Tampa, her MS in soils from UFLA, with graduate courses there in statistics and radioisotopes. She also had advanced courses elsewhere, and attended many workshops. From 1941-42 she held a full time position as chemistry instructor at the U of Tampa. In 1945 she joined the Bradenton Research Center as a lab technician, has worked up to full professor and nematologist, and also serves as chairman of the publications committee. She has received numerous research awards, is listed in various volumes, and societies. Her published works include 88 scientific pieces, also a Nematological Dictionary in both English and Spanish. Her works deal with disease, nematodes, and insect control of tomatoes, strawberries, pasture grasses, gladioli, chrysanthemums, and roses. "I wandered through the campus early last spring," she wrote, "on a field trip into Central Georgia and the memories of the carefree days I spent there were not quelled by the enormous changes in the landscape . . . I enjoy reading in the alumnae publications of the activities of my classmates." (see picture page 25)

'42

1942 Next Reunion in '78

MARTHA WILCOX DONNELLY, Concord, S.C., was named outstanding Christian laywoman of the year at Central United Methodist Church. Daughter of a minister (he served Vineville Presbyterian Church, Macon, for many years) Martha and her husband, Tom, reared four children. "Jonathon, their youngest, was born a special child with special needs, and Mrs. Donnelly responded to what she considered a God-given opportunity to provide care and nurture for him and others like him." The Weekday Child Development Center for Special Children, at the church, was begun by her in 1969, sparking the formation of two similar kindergartens in nearby communities.

MILDRED FINCHER EFLAND's husband, Mac, has been promoted to vice president of Coats and Clark.

EMILY HEARN WEBB has moved to Dublin, where her husband, Jim, has been assigned to the First United Methodist Church. She regrets leaving friends in Americus, says Emily, but is anxious to meet Wesleyannes in Dublin.

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1945 Next Reunion in '78  
Sympathy to FLORENCE (Flippy) SITTON GAUTIER, Macon, on the death of her cousin, JENNIE LOYALL

MANGET, on April 7.

**'46** 1946 Next Reunion in '77

LINA JONES ARNOLD, Hawkinsville, Ga., was interviewed in May by the Macon TELEGRAPH on her first year of serving on the formerly all-male city commission. She has been appointed to head departments which oversee sanitation, cemeteries, and animal control operations. Her accomplishments so far, she said, have been centered around getting the city's registration list purged of inactive voters, forming an animal control department, and working to see that all commission meetings are open to the public, all "very challenging for a housewife and mother who never did anything in this vein before." Her daughter Florence will graduate from Wesleyan.



Georgann D. Blum, Stella B. Cartwright, Frances S. Dessau and Emily Estelle Cartwright—2½ mos.

**'47** 1947 Next Reunion in '77

Congratulations to Arnold and GEORGANN DESSAU BLUM, Macon, on the birth of their first grandchild, Emily Estelle Cartwright, daughter of Stella and Jack, Bristol, Va. Great grandmother is FRANCES STEVENS DESSAU, '08. "We'll be putting in a bid for Wesleyan even tho her mama went away for her college experience," said Grandma.



Rosalind Allison Burns, '47, National Alumnae Treasurer.

**'48**

1948 Next Reunion in '77

"B.J." HAMMOCK BOYES, Atlanta: "Now, I am not sure whether it really happened or I dreamed the whole thing, but either way it was a marvelous weekend. Receiving the Wesleyan Distinguished Alumnae Award was an unexpected honor and pleasure. It is probably one of the nicest things that will ever happen to me. I am extremely grateful for having been chosen. Congratulations to all who helped to make it such a successful weekend. I know that a lot of hard work preceded it. I loved the fashion show! Wish more Atlanta alumnae had seen it . . . Don't remember if I properly thanked you for my antique engraving. It is lovely and I am so proud of it. I shall hang it on my 'Wesleyan Wall' along with my award."

JANE LEWIS MARIN-FOUCHER, Mexico City, Mex., had her youngest daughter, Jane Marie Marin Foucher, in the Freshman Class at Wesleyan. CARRIE LOU ALLGOOD, '26, visiting in Mexico, sent a report clipped from the Society Page of the Mexico City NEWS.

**'49**

1949 Next Reunion in '77

JACK HUTCHESON, Macon, was recently promoted to associate professor of music at Macon Junior College. Jack directs two musical productions a year, most recently "Oklahoma", gives programs at music and civic clubs, directs groups and is voice soloist at churches. He and his wife, librarian at NE high school, have a son, Lance, 15, and a daughter, Myra, 14. Jack earned his MA in 1950 at Northwestern U; his Ph.D. in applied music at U of Miami in 1970.

BETTY BUTLER STANLEY, Savannah, with 3 children in college, sent what she called "a token" to the annual fund. She looked forward to 3 graduations this spring, daughter Darset from Duke in pre-med; Julie from UGA with a business degree (she has received many honors, including a scholarship to Duke Law School, from which her father graduated), and Malcolm from Savannah Country Day School, where he was president of Student Government and captain of the soccer team. He enters Duke in the fall. Margaret, 15, is still at home.

MARY LANE EDWARDS CHEEK, Jacksonville, Fla., hated to miss Alumnae Weekend but her husband Warren was having an operation. "What can I do from here?" she wrote. "Take orders on the Akers book from the folks around Jacksonville?" "Yes!"

**'50**

1950 Next Reunion in '80

Sympathy to LAUTA AVERETT WALKER, Camilla, Ga., on the accidental death of her husband, Robert Eugene Walker, in January. Daughter Lauta was a

freshman this year.

**'51**

1951 Next Reunion in '80

ELINOR SMITH MILLER, Winter Park, Fla., wrote: "Congratulations on what appears to have been a smash-hit reunion . . . VIRGINIA MACKAY LARSON just left after a very pleasant week's visit, having regaled me with tales of the reunion . . . she said it was a tremendous success, especially the fashion show . . . that the presentation of awards was most impressive, etc., etc., etc. . . Yes, I do wish I could have been there. I support my family (of 6) and there is a difference between working for fun and working for serious. Well, if I survive until the next one perhaps things won't be so tight by then — I just calculated that I will have only one child in college that year, as the two in graduate school will be on their own . . . my daughter Elizabeth did get an enormous scholarship to Harvard, and the temptation was too great to resist, even to continue the family tradition (to Wesleyan) . . . I just read a relatively new book, Lionel Lewis' 'Scaling the Ivory Tower', in which he mentions Wesleyan as the oldest in his chapter on academic women . . ." Elinor is chairman of the Foreign Languages Dept. at Rollins College.

ROBIN CHESNEY HOPKINS, Baltimore, Md. wrote: "I have taught music for 22 years in Baltimore County Jr. High, thanks to my degree from Wesleyan. I often think of the fine history background and art history from Miss Candler and Mrs. Bosch. It takes 20 years to appreciate a good education." Robin's husband, Wylie, is assistant vice president of Monumental Life Insurance Co. They have two daughters, Amanda, 15, (at Roland Park Country School), and Adrienne, 13 (Harford Day School). Both are competitive swimmers in AAU. (see picture page 28)

**'52**

1952 Next Reunion in '77

BRENDA WEAKLEY LAPSEY, Princeton, N.J., received the MA in Guidance and Counselling during Feb. Commencement at Rider College.

ALICE WELDON CLARK, Dayton, Ohio, former high school history and social studies teacher, has three children, one grandchild. She is active in church and Masonic affairs. Her husband, Richard, is assistant vice president and corporate trust officer of Winters National Bank in Dayton. Alice is a third generation Wesleyanne. Her mother, SULEE BARNUM WELDON, and aunt, ALICE BARNUM, were class of '26; their mother was ALICE BURCH BARNUM, AB 1885.

**'53**

1953 Next Reunion in '78

Jimmy, son of ELAINE WOOD WHITEHURST, Atlanta, has been awarded a \$5,000 scholarship for each of four years



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**Reservation for reunion was made by the following: Margaret Cannon, Mary McDaniel Hurst, Mabel McLendon Coney, Elizabeth McNutt, Julia Brayant Evans, Hazel Maem Nixon, Betty Prater Gilbert, Martha Mayo Lane, Eugenia Coleman Payne, Anne Anderson Wilson, Rachael Johnson Ross, Virginia Sapp Collier, Annette White King.**

at Vanderbilt U. He plans to major in Bio-Medical Engineering, which will enable him to practice medicine or go into medical research. Elaine has two more years in Law School at Emory.

LOUISE STANLEY ANDERSON, Atlanta, with her contribution sent in response to the telephone campaign, wrote: "I appreciate a young student calling me to remind me of this . . . I am still interested in Wesleyan."

NATALIE RYAN opened a gallery in Atlanta at the New Omni International Center called The Arnold Gallery. It features internationally known contemporary art and pre-Columbian art.

KATHLEEN HARPER REID, Madison, Ga., wrote Frances Van Horn: "I am very proud of my print of Old Wesleyan, and will hang it in our den. I'm sorry I was unable to come to the last meeting of the Board (of Managers), but my three children were on three different trips that Friday, and I had to go with our band to the Rose Show in Thomasville. I did meet Sam Nunn down there and he said he was looking forward to being at Wesleyan that night for his mother's reunion. The past six years (on the Board) have been a pleasure, renewing acquaintance and enjoying all the contacts. Please call on me if I can ever be of service to Wesleyan."

CAROLINE EAGERTON UPPEROE and husband Jess, with children, Don, 17, and

Ann, 15, were en route home to Arlington, Va., after a visit with Caroline's parents in Summerville, S.C. Jess is with the publications division, US Geological Survey. Caroline teaches math to homebound students.

MARY JOE CAWLEY McGEE, Albany, Ga., was sorry Alumnae Weekend coincided with a dental association obligation of her husband. He is president-elect of the Georgia Dental Assn., to assume the presidency in Oct. "I have enjoyed attending many dental meetings with him," she wrote. "By the way, the poor guy is surrounded by our generation of Wesleyannes! His two sisters are Willine McGee Castleberry and Anne McGee Morganstern, both Wesleyan graduates. My sister, Katie Lee Ashmore wrote an article published in the South Carolina *Wildlife Magazine*, Jan.-Feb. issue."

JANE CARY PECK, Williamstown, Mass., wrote a long letter last Aug. Jane received the Ph.D. in Social Ethics from Boston U in May, 1974, after 7 years spent in part-time graduate study combined with family and community volunteer work. These 7 years included two major moves up and down the East Coast, and the addition of two children, making four. Last year she taught ethics in the religion department of Dartmouth College, and this year had a one-year appointment in teaching and research in women's studies and ethics at Harvard Divinity School, spending Tuesdays and

Thursdays at work, commuting home. She is also active in the Southern New England Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church, as a member of the Board of Church and Society and the Commission on the Status and Role of Women. For her graduation her husband and parents presented the family a summer trip to Finland; returning home they left for Saigon, Vietnam, on behalf of four orphanages for which they had worked, one of which had provided the son they adopted 2½ years earlier. They brought back 9 children to new adoptive homes. Last summer they enjoyed vacationing in Georgia, visiting her parents, seeing Wesleyan friends. In Marietta they spent "a grand day" with former roommate MERRILYN WELCH EASTHAM and her family. "It was very impressive," she wrote, "to lunch with the mayor of Marietta, DANA EASTHAM, and by coincidence LUCIA HUTCHINSON PEEL and her daughters were visiting the same day, so we had a mini-reunion of the class! On the way back 'Up Nawth' we spent the night with CAROLINE EAGERTON UPPEROE in Arlington, Va., and her fine family." Later she and her family participated in a 3-week summer institute sponsored by the Society for Religion in Higher Education to discuss Values in Urban Planning.

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1954 Next Reunion in '79

MARILYN BENNETT EDWARDS gives social services at the Medical Center of Central Georgia, in Macon.

Sympathy to MARGY McCARTY MASSENBURG, Macon, on the death of her husband, March 14.

**'55** 1955 Next Reunion in '80  
Husband of PHYLLIS CLOUGH DAVIS, Dr. Robert A. Davis, president of Brevard College, in Brevard, N.C., has been named president of Florida Southern College in Lakeland. Both schools are United Methodist.

MARTHA CHESNUT WILSON, Elkins, W. Va., sent a clipping from the bulletin of the West Virginia Division of AAUW announcing that INDUK PAHK would be keynote speaker at their state convention April 24. "I was pleased to see the school getting some publicity in West Virginia," she wrote.

**'56** 1956 Next Reunion in '81  
OLIVIA EVANS KAPPUS, Decatur, Ga., wrote: "Better late than never! Seventeen years of teaching and now motherhood (See Births). At a time when many of our classmates have 'empty nests' soon in their futures, our home and lives are being enriched by a son ... Karl and I are delighted to announce our delayed parenthood."

ARLINE ATKINS FINCH, Atlantis, Fla.. "Thank you, thank you, thank you for a perfectly lovely reunion weekend! Your thoughtful plans and preparation made everything easy and enjoyable for all of us. I hope you'll pass on a special word of thanks to the one responsible for the beautiful flower arrangements around campus. That kind of personal touch is one of the many reasons why Wesleyan is such a dear place to me. The fashion show was absolutely delightful and represented a tremendous amount of work on Freda's part. Our class especially appreciated her willingness to work us in at the very last minute. May I say one more time how grateful I am for being selected to receive one of the Alumnae Awards. It was even more meaningful to receive it during a reunion year with my classmates and truly made the weekend one to remember fondly. Please call on me *anytime* you feel there might be something I could do for Wesleyan — the pleasure would be all mine."

Sympathy to FLORA SALLY BOONE RICHARDSON, Birmingham, Ala., on the death of her father on Dec. 24, 1971. He was a frequent visitor on campus during Flora's four years at Wesleyan. She has been teaching school in the Birmingham City School System since 1964. Her oldest son, Robert, is in college and on the Dean's list. The younger, John, is in high school.

**'57** 1957 Next Reunion in '82  
JEAN MIDDLEBROOKS TONER, in-

structor in drama at Wesleyan, played Katy, the lead in Jean Kerr's "Finishing Touches," presented in May by the Macon Little Theatre. She is on MLT board of governors, is a Cheerleading "Team Mother," works with Little League football, sings in a church choir, and is active in DAR in Thomaston, Ga., her home town. She has acted in New York and in stock, also Theatre Atlanta and the Ga. State Players. Jean is the daughter of FRANCES HORNER MIDDLEBROOKS, '27, Thomaston, Ga.

**'58** 1958 Next Reunion in '77

ELEANOR ADAMS LANE, Macon, is active in civic, church, and Wesleyan affairs. For the past two years she has served as president of the Macon Council on World Affairs, following her presidency of the League of Women Voters. She was on the charter-writing commission for consolidating the governments of Macon and Bibb County, and has long appeared on a community forum on TV. Daughter Margaret is 9 and Howard is 10. Her husband, Bill, is the son of Linda Anderson Lane, '19.

LOLA HARRIS ELLIS, Cochran, Ga., is accompanist for the Middle Georgia College Vocal Ensemble. Designated an official Bicentennial performing group by the Georgia Chamber of Commerce, they were designated by the Chamber the outstanding such group from among 45, in 1975, and made a singing tour of the Holy Land. They presented a program of American music in April at the Howard Community Club, in Macon.

**'59** 1959 Next Reunion in '77

BETTY LOU TURNER CURRY, Sarasota, Fla., spoke on "The Whys of Baroque Art" at a Lifetime Learning Seminar in Jan. Since 1971, Betty Lou has been associated with the educational department of the Ringling Museums. She has worked on the statewide Art Caravan, plans and conducts in-house programs for children and adults, also community programs for the physically handicapped, visually impaired, juvenile delinquents, and mental patients. She studied in Baltimore, High Museum in Atlanta, Ga. Tech, and UGA, and was an instructor at UGA's Marietta Center.

**'60** 1960 Next Reunion in '77

MARY MARGARET WOODWARD McNEILL was recently honored by the Methodist Church, Southern Pines, N.C. for two years of service as their organist. The choir had a dinner party complete with orchid corsage. Following her final Sunday service the Church held a reception and presented her with an engraved silver platter. She resigned as she felt she needed to rejoin her family at the Presbyterian Church, but says she "loved being with

those Methodists." MM is now working on an Associate Degree in Organ at Sandhills Community College.

LEAH TAMPLIN JAUDON, Sylva, N.C., and Bob, real estate broker, have 5 children, Tom, 14; Kathy, 9; Jon, 9; Jim, 3; and Lynette, 2.

EMILIE SMITH RHODENHISER, Macon, (See Marriages), received her Master's in English in 1975, was teaching English, but is now "busy being a housewife and mother, refinishing old furniture, and enjoying living in Macon again . . . would love to hear from any of my classmates." Her new husband's mother was VIRGINIA WILLIAMS RHODENHISER, '28. Emilie inquired about Dr. Gin, "quite devoted to him, like all other English majors."

**'62** 1962 Next Reunion in '78

LOTRELLE BLACKBURN OLIVER, Oxford, Ga., and her husband, Dr. Hoyt P. Oliver, associate professor of social science at Oxford College, Emory U. bought and restored an old house (it antedates 1850), doing most of the work themselves. As a Bicentennial story, the Sunday Atlanta Journal-Constitution of May 16 featured the Oliver house as one which preserves the state's historical heritage. Florida Hall, "dressed up" by LaTrelle, who took a correspondence course in decorating, made its official debut this spring in the tour of homes sponsored by the Oxford Historic Shrine Society for benefit of the Old Oxford Church. The Oliver children, Laurie and Erik, helped with the restoration.

ELIZABETH DAVES REAM, Macon, has a son, Don IV, almost 10, and a daughter, Rebecca, pushing 8. Her husband is president of Ream Tool Co. President of the Women of Vineville Presbyterian Church, she has been active in Junior League and Girl Scout work, will serve as director this summer of the day camp.

CAROL ANNE ROLLINS HARRISON, Augusta, Ga., her husband Gene (Eugene), and their daughters Dawn, 11; Ansley, 7½; and Shelley, 2½, were honored by being selected 10th District Family of the Year by the Georgia Federation of Women's Clubs. They were recommended by the Awards Committee of the Augusta Junior Woman's Club, chaired by Ann Lavendar Faulk, '60.

**'64** 1964 Next Reunion in '78

GLENDY BARRETT BULL, Evans, Ga., lit a candle on Alumnae Weekend for LINDA WING, a former music student of hers. "It really gives me a great sense of pride to follow her four years at Wesleyan," wrote Glenda. "She is a Green Knight, like me, and I have another student, Ann Harcher, coming next year who will also be a Green Knight." Glenda asked for a baby sitter to watch her 18-month-old son ("a great joy to us") during the weekend.



**Martha E. Simmons, Assistant Personnel Officer, Trust Company Bank, Atlanta, Georgia.**

MARTHA E. SIMMONS has been elected an assistant personnel officer by the directors of Trust Company Bank in Atlanta, largest state-chartered bank in the Southeast. Martha worked on the staff of the Fulton County Department of Family and Children Services in Atlanta as a social worker, after graduation.

**'65** 1965 Next Reunion in '78  
HELEN KENDALL ELDER, Bradford, Vt., brought her "spouse," Robert, to the Reunion luncheon, also their 3½ year old, Mary Ruth, "to show her the College." Helen has an MS in special education from Syracuse U, has developed a program for severely mentally disabled children in the state. Son Benjamin is 4.

BEVERLY CROSS HALL, who moved from Atlanta to Macon 2½ years ago, and her husband, Dr. James Hall, pediatric dentist, have two daughters, Jennifer, 5, and Allison, 4. Dr. Hall has just joined Morgan, Strong, and Hall.

**'66** 1966 Next Reunion in '79  
CILE ADAMS MATHEWS, Knoxville, Tenn., sent news of her 10th Class Reunion. "Twenty-three alumnae came," she wrote, "and it was great fun to meet some of the husbands and to renew old friendships." The Reunion party was held at the home of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mathews. "It was a draw between Donna Vaughn, of New York City, and Becky Floyd, of Ft. Myers, Fla., to determine who had traveled the most miles to celebrate. We missed all of you who were unable to attend this reunion. Our own Sandi Bell Shipp will be the National Alumnae President at the time of our next reunion, three years from now, so let's all try to be present."

DOT OGDEN BROWN, Macon, teaches art at home and at the Museum of Arts and

Sciences. She and Phil, of the law firm Brown, Katz, Dasher, and Flatau, have two children, Katey, 8, and Phillip, 6.

LYSBETH BONNER JOSLIN, Greenville, Del., received a Master of Science in Art Therapy from the Graduate School of Hahnemann Medical College and Hospital of Philadelphia. She has a cumulative grade point index of 3.6. She and Theodore Goldsmith Joslin, II have one son.

**'67** 1967 Next Reunion in '79

ANN ZIMMERMAN ARNOLD, Birmingham, Ala., has been accepted at Cumberland Law School, begins studies in Sept.

**'68** 1968 Next Reunion in '79

EDITH WALLENBERG SHELTON, Columbia, S.C., was married in 1971, after graduating from USC, and has a little daughter, Catherine, 20 months old. Edith works for the Federal Land Banks System, reports her mother. EDITH TARVER WALLENBERG, '33, Aiken, S.C.

CONNIE BERG PLUNKETT, Atlanta, is Georgia coordinator for the Jimmy Carter for President campaign. She also works with Democratic National Committee members. Connie loves her work, especially using Green Knight colors, green and white, in the Carter campaign, she said.

BETSY MARTIN BUNTE, Marietta, Ga., (See Births), wrote on the birth of her twins, "all five of us — including our 2½-year-old daughter, Beth — are finding being a family of five a busy, happy time. Wish I could have been at Wesleyan for the reunion!"

LAURA BYINGTON KING and Jim, Jacksonville, Fla., have adopted a baby boy, Jay Allan. She wrote: "Jay came into our home when he was 13 days old and into our hearts from the moment that we heard he was born. He was premature, weighing 4 lbs., 8 oz. . . We have been blessed with a beautiful son."

JANA LAINE WITHAM, New York, teaches elementary music in Greenwich, Conn., sings with the Pro Arte Chorus of New Jersey, and also sings often locally.

**'69** 1969 Next Reunion in '79

LOUISA ABNEY BABCOCK has a new address, in Perkiomenville, Pa., outside of Philadelphia. She and husband Edward stopped on campus on a visit to her parents in Cochran. "The Alumnae Center was great!" she wrote.

Louisa has moved to a 1730 stage coach stop. Last Dec. she won a Penn. State Ed. Assn. Innovative Teaching Award, with a \$500 stipend to implement her Folk Cultures living history program at Souderton High. She is helping run a local Bicentennial program. Her husband is field super-

intendent for a construction company.

ALICE PENINGER BEASLEY, Concord, N.C., her husband, Bob (Fisher J. III), and Martin, 2, stopped by on their way to Florida in April. Bob, sales manager for Beasley Cross Chevrolet, was to attend a Chevrolet Merchandising and Management Seminar.

TRICIA KITCHENS PACE, Macon, writes that her Satin Slipper Studio of Dance continues to grow and that teaching is a joy. She plans to study dance this summer at Skidmore College in New York, American U in Washington, D.C., and Allegheny College in Pennsylvania. She choreographed "Bye, Bye, Birdie" for Macon Area Community Theatre in May, and plans to return to Wesleyan in the fall of 1976 to work on another degree — BFA in theatre.

**'70** 1970 Next Reunion in '80

LYNN LAMBERTON LANDIS (See Births) and JANE THOMPSON, Orlando, Fla., drove to Charleston, S.C. last July to visit KIT KING GERING and ANNE HERNDON OSWALD. (Kit has a new daughter, born March 14.) Jane will attend UGA graduate school this fall.

BRENDA WITHAM JONES and husband, Russell, are employed by IBM in Calif. (See Births.) They have two sons.

SALLY SHINGLER KURRIE, Decatur, Ga., wrote your Editor a very nice note about NOW, also some other writing. "I'm sending a copy of your Sunday Magazine (Atlanta Journal and Constitution) article to MAY POWELL PARKS in Calif. I hope it won't make her too homesick for Georgia, reading about Mr. Fickling's cherry trees!"

**'71** 1971 Next Reunion in '80

TONY JENNINGS, Winter Park, Fla., is running for the House of Representatives in Fla. Voting is set for Sept.

JAYNE BENTLEY GASKINS, N. Augusta, S.C., and her husband Ralph, just graduated from the Medical College of Georgia, moved in March to Denver, Colo., where Ralph began a surgery internship at Presbyterian Medical Center. "If you know of any other Wesleyannes in that area please let me know," she wrote, "as a friendly Georgia accent a long way from home is always a welcome sound."

BETH LOFLIN VECH, Cedar Bluffs, Neb.: "I so enjoy all the news of classmates in NOW, also all the articles . . . I was particularly interested in the story on Senator Nunn. I would just love to be able to attend Alumnae Weekend, but am afraid Claire (See Births) will keep me home . . . Nebraska farm life is pretty different from southern city life, but after a year and a half here, I think I'm beginning to adjust! Jim



**1951**

Reservation for reunion was made by the following: **Donna Lloyd Gardner, Courtney Knight Gaines, Margaret Altman Housworth, Sarah Murphy Mercer, Leon Moburg, Marjorie Perkins Squires, Virginia Mackay Larson, Jane Wilkins Anthony, Avalo Donovan Hill, Mary Lewis, Emily Perry Grier, Nell Floyd Hall, Betty Buesse McCool, Mildred E. Smith, Daisy Weathers Boswell, Helen Clanton Meredith, Ida Few Bigbie Mixon, Helen Youngblood Kendrick, Martha Banks Gaddis, Allee Gardiner Hollis, Binky Russell Leggett, Elizabeth Dykes Breland, Jane Wootton, Jean Elsom Hogan, Tekla Davis Hall.**

and I each have a horse and plan to go into breeding as a hobby."

**'72**

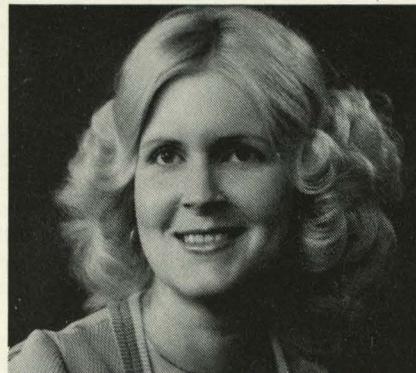
1972 Next Reunion in '80  
**MARSHA WITHAM WHITMAN**, and husband, Frank, live in the old mill at Silvermine Inn and Tavern, an old country inn in Norwalk, Conn., which Frank and his father operate. Marsha teaches private piano lessons and plans to start work on her Doctorate in Musicology in the fall. She has recently given two voice recitals, also a joint recital with her sister, **JANA LAINE WITHAM**, '68, in Greenwich, Conn., last April.

**ANN PERKINS**, who is getting her MM in Applied Music at U of New Mexico, Albuquerque, was on campus in Jan. taking refresher courses with Norman McLean, with whom she studied while a student. Karen Babb, of LaFayette, Ind., also working on her Master's at New Mexico, was visiting on campus. Ann recently sang in the Spanish opera, "Peter Puppet", by de Falla, in Santa Fe and Taos.

**SUSAN LEONARD MAUM** is again Susan Leonard, working for the Brunswick, Ga. NEWS, living in St. Simons, according to her mother, Mary Haines Davidson Leonard.

**SUSAN MOSES**, Uvalda, Ga., was graduated from the Medical College of Georgia, in Augusta, June 12. She is to do her residency in OB/GY at Oschner Clinic, New Orleans, the first woman to be admitted.

**MARY JEFFCOAT BURDINE**, Spartanburg, S.C., had the lead recently in Town Theatre's "6 Rms.-Riv.vu". Mary teaches a class for highly gifted children, one of three such in S.C. She is the daughter of **LOUISE WADSWORTH JEFFCOAT**, '39.



**Susan Moses, M.D., Class of '72**

**'73**

1973 Next Reunion in '80  
**LICIA DRINNON JACKSON**, '73, Macon (See Births), is on leave from the Macon NEWS, where she has been associate editor. Husband Grant is city editor of the Macon TELEGRAPH and teaches journalism at Mercer U.

**'74**

1974 Next Reunion in '81  
**SALLY MOFFE TT**, who became Mrs. Pat McKenna on June 24, 1974, is in her second year teaching 5th grade at Loganville (Ga.) Elementary School. She is also working on her MED in Administration at Georgia State U while Pat completes Emory Law School.



**Helen Brown '74 and Sara Turnbull Hunter '74.**

**'75**

1975 Next Reunion in '81  
**NAN MADDOX** is in visual merchandising (fashion displays) for Sears at Macon Mall. "Wesleyan gave me a lot," she commented recently. "I would do the same if I had my college experience to do over."

**CAROLYN BOWMAN** is one of 12 chosen from over the country for a 2-year training program for civilian personnel in government work. She is employed by the Civil Service Commission in Washington as a classification specialist.

**BETSY WAKEFORD** is working on her Master's in Early Childhood Education at UGA.



1956

Reservation for reunion was made by the Following: Arlene Ithens Finch, Mavanne Morrie, Happy Garner Kirkpatrick, Trudy Wilson Popolosky, Carolyn Simmons Brooks, Mary Taffan Mabry, Joann Copeland Chapple, Pat Drew, Marion Wade Mixon, Linda Stoner Winslett, Mary Alice Jackson Rice, Jane Courtney Shockley, Lou Ann Taylor Nash, Paula Hunt Geiger, Flora Boone Richardson, Rosalie Voight Johnson.



1966

Reservation for reunion was made by the following: Reta Holt Peterson, Marsha McDonald Godsey, Martha Lott Turner, Josephine Tolmie Denmark, Lucile Adams Mathews, Becky Floyd, Sandra Bell Shipp, Shirley Wray Pace, Mary Towers Ralston, Charlotte Smith Pfeiffer, Jo An Johnson Chewing, Suzanne Spence Turbeville, Catherine Burns Liles, Barbara Meeko Turner, Abbie Howard Dillard, Barbara Brubaker Hightower, Nancy Rowland Rehberg, Jeanne Lindley Rives, Dona Vaughn, Barbara Sneden Exum, Diane Pierce, Pat Easmann Holmes.

## MARRIAGES

Jo Ann Young, '74, to John Beitz, Aug. 16. They live in Macon, where she works at Hart's Mortuary.

Emilie Smith (formerly Johnston), '60, to David Rhodenisher, June 6 last year. Husband writes for WRBN radio station.

Mary Knight, '76, Garden City, to Don Robinson, Macon, on June 12. This will be the first wedding performed in the Oval Room of Candler Alumnae Center, although there have been several wedding receptions. They will live in Augusta where groom, just graduated from Mercer, attends School of Medicine.

Marina Showalter, '75, to Roy Chancert, Dec. 20. Bride is working on her M.Ed. in Counseling at Auburn U, where Roy is completing his degree in Forestry.

Leticia Ritchie, '65, to Dr. Richard Theodore Eppink, June 21 last year. "Cookie" Cook Fulton '55, was matron of honor; her husband Bob (Dr. Robert Fulton) and daughter Lori were usher and flower girl.

Marsha Lynn, '73, to John Douglas Christy, March 22, 1975, in Dublin, Ga. Groom is with Citizens and Southern Bank of East Point; bride is with Citizens and Southern National Bank.

Charlotte Jon Smith, '66, to Guy D. Pfeiffer, living in Cordele, Ga., where Pete is an attorney.

## BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grant Jackson (Licia Drinon, '73), Macon, a son, Grant Noel, Dec. 17. Young Grant is the first grandchild of Elizabeth McCants Drinon.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Pierce Tucker, Jr. (Charlotte Dekle, '66), Atlanta, a son, Matthew Hanes, Dec. 4, 1975. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. G. Clyde Dekle, Jr. (Charlotte Ober Tyus, '34) and Dr. and Mrs. John Tucker.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Kenneth Alderman (Deborah Alma Harden, '73), Columbia, S. C., their first child, a son, De Walt Kenneth, on March 15.

To Louis and Betsy Martin Bunte, '68, Marietta, Ga., fraternal twin girls, Sarah Jackson Bunte (6 lb., 3 oz.) and Caroline Martin Bunte (5 lb., 15 oz.) on March 29, at 7:26 and 7:34 a.m.

To Jim and Beth Loflin Vech, '71, Cedar Bluffs, Neb., a baby girl, Claire Rebecca, born March 30.

To David and Lyn Lamberton Landis, '70, Orlando, Fla., a second son, Evan Read, on Feb. 11. Jane Thompson, '70, is a godmother. Brother Drew is 2.

To Duke and Kathi Latta Rogers, '75, Juliette, Ga., a baby girl, Tyler Kathryn, on Feb. 24.

To Karl and Olivia Evans Kappus, '56, Decatur, Ga., a son, Karl Daniel, Jr., (Dan), born Sept. 19, 1975.

To Dr. and Mrs. Dennis J. Mancuso (Patricia Shriner, '60), Littleton, Colo., a son, Louis Shriner Mancuso, born April 14. The baby was named for his great grandfather, Luigi Mancuso, and his ancestor, Lewis Shriner, first emigrants to America.

To Mr. and Mrs. E. Wright Davis, Jr. (Jane White, '72), a son, Wright Lancaster Davis, March 14.

To Tom and Jan Moody Cayton, '71, Warner Robins, Ga., a daughter, Lauren Ann, May 2.

To J. J., Jr., and Carolyn Freund Hale, '56, Longview, Wash., a baby girl born in Aug. They have two teen age boys.

To G. W., III and Kit King, '70, Charleston, S.C., a daughter, born March 14.

To Marcus and Glenda Kingry Gandy, '65, Macon, a girl, Hannah Katherine, Dec. 2. Sam is 5. Dad is with Burns Brick Co.

To Charles, Jr., and Nancy Rowland Rehberg, '67, Macon, a third son, William Butler, Nov. 8. Rob is 6 and Philip is 3.

## DECEASED

- 1900 Mary Lucy White DeJarnette
- 1907 Ruth Whiting Haslam
- 1911 Lucia Leone Baird Motes
- 1912 Jennie Loyall Manget
- 1913 Beatrice McDonald Briggs
- 1913 Catherine Polhill Pate
- 1913 Ida Belle Hendry Harner
- 1914 Evelyn Wright Banks
- 1914 Estora Jackson Edwards
- 1915 Ida Munro Murray
- 1916 Christine Broome
- 1917 Laura Margaret Wilson Ellison
- 1919 Martha Kelley
- 1921 Mary Frances Boatright McKenney
- 1923 Mildred Baird Hall
- 1923 Ethel Lowe Jackson
- 1928 Kathryn Royal Wootten
- 1930 Emily Orr Sullivan
- 1931 Elma Black Parker
- 1935 Anne Malone Ballard
- 1941 Pauline Harrell
- 1945 Lorene Preskitt



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**Brindis Roberts, Greenville, Ga., was awarded the Alumnae Scholarship for Leadership. A rising Junior, Brindis is a history-political science major.**

## A LETTER

May 3, 1976  
Nashville, Tenn.

Wesleyan College Alumnae Office  
Macon, Georgia

Dear Friends:

The enclosed check in the amount of \$25.00 is to be applied to the Scholarship Fund to be established in memory of Jennie Loyall Manget, wife of my Uncle Fred Manget of Macon.

Never was there a more loyal supporter of Wesleyan and it is to her honor and memory that I trust that the fund will grow and enable some fortunate Wesleyanne to attend the "oldest and best" — the college of her choice!

Bless you all and know that our class reunion in April was delightful and most gratifying.

I shall look forward to Wesleyan's FIRST ONE HUNDRED YEARS early this fall. My best wishes to Dr. and Mrs. Akers and my thanks to him for all the work he has done to make Wesleyan's heritage live on forever.

Most Sincerely,

Dorothy Manget Hogan  
(Mrs. Wayne Hogan)  
1933 Class

DEBORAH BELL is also at UGA, concentrating her graduate work in the field of counselling.

SALLY VEATCH teaches biology, grades 9-12 at Johnson High in Gainesville, Ga.

MARGARET GOODSIR JOHNSON, Warner Robins, Ga., is in Guam, where her husband, Victor, is stationed with the USAF. She is working on her M.Ed. and hopes to teach in the Base school this fall.

MARTHA TOWNSEND teaches first grade in Pahokee, Fla., finds the biggest difference in town and gown is "getting a paycheck."

Working on their Master's in the field of Education are DEBORAH BELL (counselling), LILLIE JOHNSTON (counseling), SELMA MIDDLEBROOKS (exceptional children), BARBARA SWICORD (gifted education), BETSY WAKEFORD (early childhood education), and LYN WELLS (counseling).

Lillie will be married to Peter Cogswell in September and will move to Conn. Selma will begin teaching Primary Educable Mentally Retarded in Loganville in Sept. DEBBY NEWBY is working on the staff of the Macon TELEGRAPH.

LISA SHERMAN HAMMOND, Atlanta, works at Trust Co. Bank. Her husband, Lee, is in his junior year at Ga. Teach, studying civil engineering. SELMA MIDDLEBROOKS, BARBARA SWICORD, and LILLIE JOHNSTON are sharing an apartment in Athens, all studying in their fields in the Master's program at UGA.

NANCY HOLMAN is teaching school in Midway, Ga.

### CLASS REUNION

Of all the group I only am unchanged.  
Jacques is so skillful not a soul would know  
he touches up my hair.  
Of course it is not grey — oh, mercy, no!  
Just slightly faded from the sun and air.

I can't see why my classmates let themselves grow fat and matronly. Of course I wear a size sixteen where once a twelve, untouched, fit perfectly; but I am sure the trade has changed its way of marking clothes today; and it's a good investment — to have paid a top price for a well constructed girdle.

My school friends' talk is now so dull and slow: husbands, car pools, children — even some boasting of children's children. Don't they know such conversation dates them?

I'm sure if they were mine I would not show I thought them such an all-absorbing topic.

The week-end now is over, and goodbyes bounce shrilly, gaily, sadly through the hall. "See you the next ten years!" the voices call.

But I know I shall never come again. Seeing how they are aging gives me pain.

— And makes me wonder how much time will pass before I frankly face my looking glass.

—Elizabeth Davenport Plant, '17

CAROLYN SHORE WALLGREN, Atlanta, left Wesleyan in 1973, completed her degree at Georgia State U in Deaf Education, married that year. She is currently teaching hearing impaired children in Fayette County, Ga., and working on a Master's in Deaf Ed. at Georgia State. Her husband, Joshua, also attends school there. They live in Clarkston, Ga. "I think of Wesleyan often," she writes, "and the good times I shared with my friends."

'76

1976 Next Reunion in '77

MARY BETH CARLE is working on her Master's at UGA, teaches Spanish. She plans a wedding for this summer.

JANE SPEIR BROOK, Macon, came to Wesleyan in 1973 as an entry-reentry student. She had finished more than two years at Ga. State in Atlanta, interrupted her education to get a job as a medical technician at Crawford Long Hospital to help finance her husband's last two years working on his Eng. degree at Ga. Tech. Five children later she received her own degree, the only BS at Wesleyan's 1976 commencement. Oldest son Steve got his degree from Furman U that same week. Voted Student of the Year, Steve is marrying a fellow graduate on July 24, and will start a weekly newspaper in West Ga., having edited the U. newspaper. His mother is at graduate school at Mercer and plans to teach biology.

'77

LAUREN SHERMAN WARE lives in Mulberry, Fla. where her husband, Steve, manages the family company. Their son, Nicholas, was one in March.

'78

PATTY BARBER is studying nursing at U Fla.

## Honor Roll

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Mrs. Claude B. Arrington  
Ms. Carolyn Moon  
Mrs. Harvey H. Haley  
Mrs. Ernest Nealy  
Mrs. Robert P. Repass  
Mrs. C. H. Cobleigh, Jr.  
Mrs. Max C. Zahn  
Ms. Sara Jane Overstreet  
Mrs. J. Rollins Jolly  
Ms. Sharon Webb  
Mrs. R. W. Recklow  
Mrs. Alan D. Shepherd  
Mrs. Eugene T. Harrison III  
Mrs. L. G. Spivey  
Mrs. B. W. Chandler  
Mrs. C. E. Whitwer  
Mary Jo Plowden  
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Miss Linda F. Brown  
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Mrs. R. E. Mignerey

## PLEASE!

The Alumnae Office is anxious to have in our files the names of all alumnae now teaching in secondary education. Please, if you are in this category, send your name, address, and name of school to the Alumnae Office.

(Your incorrect address is expensive)

## CHANGE OF ADDRESS

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1926

Reservation for reunion was made by the following: Frances Cater Snow, Elizabeth Cannon Nunn, Almarita Booth Johnston, Sulee Barnum Weldon, Alice Barnum, Emily Lawton, Martha Middlebrooks Roberts, Edna Mahone Parker, Helen Perdue, Katherine Lowe Clarke, Virginia Brown Salter, Carrie Lou Allgood, Mary Allman Alford, Freda Kaplan Nadler, Lucille Rodney Newton, Hellen Goepf McCarren, Lavada Harper Evers, Mildred Jackson Cole, Isabel Richter, Emily Brown Rumble, Norma Parker Manley. Frances Jones Duskin, '41, was '26 class mascot when very young.